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PADUCAH, KY., TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 15, 1908

TEN CENTS PER WEEK

Fall Race Meet Opens Today on Fair Grounds Track

ATTENDANCE ALL EXPECTED BY PROMOTERS

List of Entries Comprises Fastest Horse Flesh Ever Seen Contesting on Tracks of Western Kentucky or This Section.

Before a crowd that surpassed the expectations of the officials the fall races had an auspicious opening this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the fair grounds. The band played, and the horses pranced, and in a quick start the races were on while the crowd cheered. A fine program was offered for this afternoon, but each day will see big entries in the races. Today was "ladies day," as all ladies and children were admitted free, and they certainly look advantage of the opportunity to see the races.

The track was in splendid condition, as the sprinkling of the track made it fast and the water curia had been used all around the grand stand which eliminated the dust and made the races enjoyable. The weather was not too warm, and promoters are assured that the races will be a success. Low rates are being taken advantage of and today there was a constant stream of visitors from the adjoining counties. Illinois was well represented, too, while quite a few lovers of fine horseflesh made the trip from Tennessee.

When seen this morning all of the horse owners were jubilant over the prospects of a successful meet. Each owner was confident that his horse would be a winner, and this morning the horses were exercised with much caution so that they will be ready for the heats. Ray Lee, of Union City, is confident that "Redfoot" and "Cave Jones" will be heard from. So confident of having fair treatment and fair play Mr. Lee shipped his horses all the way from Wheeling, W. Va., to the Paducah stables.

The winners are in dandy trim for this afternoon. The books closed last night at 6 o'clock and there are enough entered to make all of the races warm. The running races for this afternoon are:

Half Mile.
Hill Signal—Owned by T. R. Potter, Paris, Tenn.; ridden by Loxing at 90 pounds.
Hond Double—Owned by H. H. Bradley, Owensboro, Ky.; ridden by Horton, 110 pounds.
Rock Roy—Owned by Welch, of St. Louis; ridden by Smith, 115 pounds.
Three-quarter Mile.
Brother Itzee—Owned by Sam James, Midway, Ill.; ridden by Harris, carrying 115 pounds.
Roschuro—Owned by H. H. Bradley, Owensboro, Ky.; ridden by Horton, carrying 115 pounds.
Louise K.—Owned by Hay & Hattlin, Paris, Tenn.; ridden by Acker, carrying 115 pounds.

Overcome By Heat.
Evansville, Ind., Sept. 15.—Mrs. Mary Kaevel, a well known woman of this city, was overcome by the heat and her condition is regarded as serious.

Trial of Joe James.
Springfield, Ill., Sept. 15.—A jury was completed and the trial began of Joe James, negro, whose killing of Georgeann Hillard started the recent riots. James will be the only witness for the defense.

CHIZON IS SERIOUSLY HURT.
Former Victory's Automobile Collides With Another Car.

London, Sept. 15.—Lord Crizun, former vicar of India, was badly hurt in a collision today between his automobile and another motor car. He was thrown forward, his forehead was severely cut and he was partly stunned. He is recovering.

CLAIMS OF \$121,850.
Filed for Damages Resulting From Damages in Springfield.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 15.—Total claims filed for damages resulting from the recent race riots amount to \$121,850. The heirs of six riot victims have filed suits aggregating \$35,000 and the expense of troops is estimated at \$33,109 and may reach \$25,000 more.

CITY HALL IN FEAR.

Around the city hall there was fear today, and scouts were sent out to spot any night riders that might attempt to burn the hall. The cause for the excitement was because City Jailor Wade Brown cut his tobacco crop, which grew beside the police station. There were about forty plants and Jailor Brown expects to have fifteen pounds of the weed after it has cured. After the plants had withered sufficiently the jailor placed them on stakes and hung them in the attic, where they will be left to cure. Jailor Brown chose the attic because he thought the night riders would have to test the officials on the first floor before the top floor was gained.

OLD, OLD STORY IS BELIEVED CAUSE OF LEWIS MURDER

Murray, Ky., Sept. 15.—(Special.) According to statements of people living in the neighborhood where the killing of Will Lewis by Victor and Fred Jones took place Sunday afternoon, the old, old story of a woman with whom one of the Jones and Lewis had kept company, was the cause of the killing. The trouble is said to have dated back three years when Fred Jones and Will Lewis fought at a meeting house where services were in progress, Lewis having accompanied the girl to the church.

Sunday the Jones boys and Lewis and a younger brother of Lewis were at a baptizing. The Jones boys were teasing the Lewis boy, when Will Lewis interfered. During the quarrel, Will Lewis struck Fred Jones with his fist and just as a bystander attempted to come between the men, two shots were fired and Lewis fell dead with a bullet in his heart and another in his back.

The younger brother of Lewis had stooped to pick up a stick and a shot was fired at him, but went wild. An examination of the body and clothing of Will Lewis revealed the fact that he was unarmed and did not have even a pocket knife.

The Jones boys are sons of Polk Jones, a well-to-do farmer. They are in jail without bond on a charge of wilful murder.

THE WHEAT CROP MOVES EARLIER THAN LAST YEAR.
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 15.—According to the general freight agents of the northwestern railroads, which run through the wheat belt of the northwest, the wheat crop movement has just started and it is from two to three weeks earlier than last year.

Reports received from Duluth and Superior show that the movement the last two days of last week indicated receipts of from 500 to 600 cars daily in those cities for transshipment down the lakes, that the percentage of No. 1 northern wheat is said to be greater than usual.

SEAL POACHING JAPS CAUGHT BY REVENUE CUTTER

Washington, Sept. 15.—The department of justice is advised of the capture of between 30 and 40 poaching Japanese. Two schooners were within the three-mile limit off St. Paul Island. The revenue cutter Bear made the capture after a chase. They were taken to Unalaska. Evidence of poaching was found on the schooners.

Chicago Market.

	Sept.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	1.00%	98%	99%	
Oats	80%	80%	80%	
Provision	48%	48%	48%	
Provision	15.15	15.07%	15.15	
Lard	10.12%	10.05	10.12%	
Ribs	9.75	9.60	9.70	

MAINE ELECTION RESULTS IN FAVOR OF REPUBLICANS

Hughes Will be Renominated For Governor of New York Today.

Democrats Have Not Agreed on Candidate.

CHARLES MURPHY IN CONTROL.

Augusta, Me., Sept. 15.—Late returns indicate Fernald's plurality for governor is 8,000. John P. Swagley and other Republicans for congress were elected, according to late returns.

Hughes Is Certain.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Hughes' opposition is dead and his nomination, a foregone conclusion on the first ballot today. Chauncey Woodruff was quoted to this effect.

Tammamy in Control.

Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 15.—After an all night conference, Democratic leaders are undecided on a gubernatorial candidate. Tammany Leader Murphy is in absolute control of the convention. A dark horse, it is said, will be sprung at the appropriate time and nominated. Alton H. Parker's speech was devoted, principally to a denunciation of the extravagance of the national administration. The natural result, he said, is excessive tariff, upbuilding of giant fortunes, denounced by the president. Parker thought it strange that in such denunciation he did not suggest modification of tariffs to prevent the creation of similar fortunes.

He criticized Republicans for non-enforcement of the law.

Capron Elected Captain.

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 15.—In the meeting of the 1908 football men of the University of Minnesota this afternoon, George Capron, the great drop kicker of the 1907 team, was elected captain for this season.

Ollie James Speaks

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 15.—A great crowd from over the state is participating in the speaking of the Democratic campaign. The state committee and all state candidates are present. Ollie W. James, of Kentucky, spoke this afternoon at Liberty park. Candidate Cashner followed.

Suffocated in Tunnel

Detroit, Sept. 15.—Fire, from causes unknown, was found in the Michigan central tunnel early this morning. Two hundred workmen made a rush for the outside. Walter H. Kimball, assistant superintendent, and Bert Johnson, a carpenter, were suffocated. Three others were injured.

Residence Robbed

When the family was asleep last night the screen door to the home of R. A. Pike, engineer at the Illinois Central shops, was opened and a gold watch, pens and other jewelry as well as a pocketbook were stolen from the home. The thieves gained entrance by cutting the wire and raising the lock. The police are working on the case.

WEATHER.

PLEASANT



WELLS DISPOSES OF BURIED TREASURE.

Charles H. Wells, of Mayfield, who found a kettle of gold while digging a foundation for a saw mill in Butland county, has sold the money, face value of \$5,000, for \$9,200 to C. F. Clark & company, of Cincinnati, old coin collectors. The find includes 115 \$20-gold pieces; 200 \$10-gold pieces; 120 \$5-gold pieces; 8 \$50-gold pieces; 210 silver dollars and 180 silver half dollars. The money is supposed to have been buried by a man named Redham during the civil war. Wells has never made any secret of his find, and considers the money rightfully his own. He will engage in the real estate business in Mayfield.

Dynamite as Well as Gasoline Taken From Stored Quantity at Murray and Authorities Are Stirred Up

Cannot Account for Disappearance or Purpose to Which Thief Expects to Put Stuff—May be Night Riders.

Murray, Ky., Sept. 15.—(Special.) Are the night riders planning an attack on Murray? Is a question that is giving some concern to officers and citizens now. Added to the theft of 50 gallons of gasoline Friday night became known today that a case of dynamite was stolen from a tool house at the city gravel pit the same night the gasoline was stolen. That the attack might have been planned for the next night after the theft of the explosives was evidenced by the fact that soldiers discovered telephone wires cut between Patterson and Murray, as they were returning from patrolling the roads of the eastern portion of the county. They first attempted to get telephone communication from patrolling the roads of the eastern portion of the county. They first attempted to get telephone communication from patrolling the roads of the eastern portion of the county.

In any event extra guards have been placed around the town and the approaching roads and a warm reception awaits any invaders who may attempt to come.

NO IMMUNITY BATH FOR "IMITATION" WHISKY IN COURT

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 15.—Federal Judge Humphrey, who gave the packers an immunity bath, refused the distillers relief. Woolner & company, of Peoria, sought an injunction restraining the Peoria collector from demanding that "imitation" labels be placed on certain brands of whiskeys. Judge Humphrey denied it, deciding that whiskey must have age and natural color or be labeled "imitation."

Standard Cuts Prices.
New York, Sept. 15.—The Standard Oil company has reduced the price of refined standard white oil 25 cents to \$8.50 per barrel, and refined at Philadelphia 25 cents to \$8.45.

The Evidence of Guilt.
Charles Goodall, a deckhand, was arrested today on a charge of breaking into a locker on the steamer Clyde. It is alleged that Goodall broke into a locker on the first deck and stole a bottle of apple brandy. Goodall was found well intoxicated, and some of the brandy was found near him. His trial was continued until tomorrow.

Insane Farmer's Deed.
Perry, Kas., Sept. 15.—John Reagle, a farmer living near Potosi, yesterday afternoon choked his wife to death and then shot and killed himself. He is believed to have been insane.

Little Cora Suiter

Cora Suiter, the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Suiter, of 1520 Jones street, died last night of malarial fever. The burial took place at Benton this afternoon.

No Trouble at Cadiz

Cadiz, Ky., Sept. 15.—(Special.) There was no trouble during Frank's speech yesterday. Soldiers accompanied him from Hopkinsville.

BIG LUMBER FIRE IN MAINE CAUSED BY CARELESSNESS

Saco, Me., Sept. 15.—Fire, starting at midnight in the lumber yard of the Crossman Box factory, burned over 20 acres. The loss is a half million. Eighty-five tenements and also million feet of lumber were destroyed. Six hundred are homeless. The Diamond Match company is the heaviest loser in lumber. A careless smoker dropping his match box in the shavings is suspected.

CITY WILL TAKE A HAND IN SCHOOL BOND INJUNCTION SUIT IN COURT OF APPEALS

City Solicitor Campbell, Refused Privilege of Filing Amended Petition in Case, Goes to Argue Matter.

FEAR THAT IT WILL PREVENT PROCEEDINGS IF SCHOOL BONDS CARRY AT GENERAL ELECTION.

Thinks That All Grounds Were Not Laid Before Court to Afford Opportunity For Through Hearing.

The city will take a hand in the proceedings to enjoin the school bond election, and City Solicitor James Campbell, Jr., will go to Louisville with counsel to argue the matter before Judge Barker, of the court of appeals. Mr. Campbell's participation in the argument follows a futile effort on his part to induce attorneys in the case—Bradshaw & Bradshaw, for the nominal petitioner, and Wheeler, Hughes & Berry, representing the school board—to file an amended petition, setting forth facts and data, which Mr. Campbell thought should go to make up the record for a fair and complete hearing. All the attorneys would agree to do was to permit him to make an argument on the record as made up.

City Solicitor Campbell interfered in the case after a consultation with Mayor Smith in which he set out the facts as he saw them. His authority is based on his commission to represent the taxpayers of Paducah. Whether the school board or the city issues the bonds the same people must eventually pay off the debt, and there is no legal representative of the people other than the city solicitor. The school board wishes to issue bonds and the friendly suit is brought for the purpose of ascertaining the legality of the issue, no interests adverse to the bond issue being represented in the suit. City Solicitor Campbell fears that while the action is brought not to enjoin the bond issue, but to enjoin the holding of an election, grounds may be stated that will constitute a bar to any suit after the election to enjoin the bond issue, or the school board and makes the defense of res adjudicata. For that reason he thought it only just to the taxpayers that all possible objections to the election be urged. If this suit is to stop any further litigation on the subject.

FERRY LICENSE GRANTED LEVANS BY COUNTY JUDGE

Privilege to operate a ferry from the foot of Elizabeth street across the Tennessee river to the Livingston county shore, was granted W. N. Levan & Son yesterday by Judge Lightfoot, of the county court. The order stipulates that the landing places of the new ferry shall be more than one mile from the landing places of the ferry now conducted by Mrs. Mollie Nardin. Judge Lightfoot also gave the owner of the old ferry notice that the boats now operated must be repaired and new approaches built within 30 days, or the privilege would be revoked.

Strong opposition to granting a license was made by Mrs. Nardin, who employed Attorney W. A. Berry to represent her. John K. Hendrick represented the Levans.

The operation of a safe ferry from the points designated by the Levans undoubtedly will prove of great benefit to Paducah and will bring Livingston county farmers here with their products at all seasons of the year, a landing having been secured on that side of the river that can be reached at all stages of the river. The new boat will be built at once and placed in the trade as soon as possible.

DEPOSITIONS TO BE TAKEN IN THE TELEPHONE CASE.

On October 5 depositions will be taken in New York by City Solicitor James Campbell in the case of the city of Paducah against the East Telephone company. Mr. Campbell will make the trip with Hon. Charles K. Wheeler, who is an attorney for the telephone company.

No Bail for Hargis

Jackson, Ky., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—Beech Hargis was refused bail this morning. Attorneys presented affidavits saying the confinement would kill him.

CHOLERA SPREAD CAUSES FEAR ALL THROUGH EUROPE

London, Sept. 15.—The spread of cholera in Russia causes fear that the European continent is in danger. Germany, France, Italy, Austria, England and other countries are planning rigid precautions. Poverty and bad sanitary conditions in Russia favor a spread. There are thousands of cases. The Astrakhan province is the worst.

Held Over for Stealing Eggs.
Two young colored boys, O. T. Ellison and Florence Langston, were held over to the grand jury this morning by Police Judge Cross on the charge of entering a box car. It is alleged that the two boys broke into a railroad car and stole about 15 dozen of eggs. The boys stated that they found the eggs under a car. Patrolman Henry Slinger arrested O. T. Ellison after he had sold C. E. Blackhall a basket of eggs.

BORDEN'S BRANDS

of Condensed or Evaporated Milk are all **FULL CREAM.**

Avoid unknown brands sold at a low price after made from Skimmed Milk, which contains but little food value.



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BRAND CONDENSED

MILK

"The Original"



PEERLESS

BRAND EVAPORATED

MILK

(Unsweetened)

See that the label bears the name of **BORDEN'S CONDENSED MILK CO.** "Leaders of Quality" Est. 1867. New York.

MUST CONNECT

HEALTH AUTHORITIES TO PROCEED AGAINST BOARD.

Lee and Lincoln School Buildings May Be Subject of Litigation.

The failure of the school board to make provisions for the connecting of the Lee and Lincoln buildings will be the cause of either prosecutions under the ordinance compelling private property owners to connect with the sewerage, or mandamus proceedings will be instituted to force the connection. The city collector has the matter under consideration and will decide in a day or two what steps he will take.

Kodak will, in a very short time, enable the stomach to do the work it should do, and the work it should do to digest all the food you eat. It makes the stomach sweet and it is pleasant to take. It is sold here by all druggists.

JUDGE TAFT'S BIRTHDAY.

The Next President Is Fifty-One Years Old Today.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 15.—Judge William H. Taft is fifty-one years old today, and congratulations are being received on that event. The well wishes are coming both by letter and postal card. The candidate was born in Cincinnati September 15, 1857.

Representative Grant E. Mouser, of Marion, representing the Thirteenth congressional district, came to town today, bringing with him a number of his constituents, whom he introduced to the candidate. The call was simply one of respect. Two speaking assignments have been arranged for tomorrow, when the candidate will address a delegation from Greenfield, Ind., and in the evening the clergy, men from the African Methodist church in Allen Temple.

DeWitt's Carbolicized Witch Hazel Salve is the best thing to use for piles. Sold by all druggists.

"At the risk of being considered egotistic"—began the cancelled fellow.

"Constant exposure," interrupted Miss Peppery, "makes you minimize the risk, I suppose, Mr. Bragg."—Philadelphia Press.

Dr. Campbell H. Johnson
Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat
Fraternity Building. Old Phone 303

James Vlaholeas
304 Broadway NEW PHONE 1309

Fruits---Candy---Ice Cream
AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Over 2 gallons 75c. Guaranteed good Return unsold and get money back.

BLACK CLOTH OVER BENNETT'S EYES

Witness Tells of Finding of Murdered Boy's Body.

Evidence of Horses Having Been Stamped in Public Road at That Point.

NIGHT RIDER WAS AMBUSHED

W. C. Cooksey was the first witness called in the case of Gardner and Hunt, charged with the murder of Vaughn Bennett, the night rider, says the Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle, and he deposed as follows:

"I live in the Fifth district, near Sango, and the Trough Spring road on the cross road from Trough Spring to the Bobo road, about twenty-five yards from Trough Spring road."

Witness was at home on the night of March 9, 1908, when young Bennett was killed. He knew of it the next morning about 6 o'clock, as he was passing from the stable to his house, when he saw the boy and two horses lying in the road. He went to the place and then home, when he told his wife what he saw and that he would go to the woodson's neighbors. He went and told Mr. Woodson and son, passing the place where Bennett was lying and they returned to the scene of the tragedy. Squire Davis was then telephoned to.

The horse Vaughn Bennett was riding was lying with his head to the northeast, the other to the southwest. Bennett's foot was in the stirrup and lying nearly parallel with the horse. When Ernest Woodson said it was Vaughn Bennett, he then noticed enough of his face to know who it was. His face was not concealed and his hat was a short distance away. One double barrel shotgun was lying on one side of his horse and another on the other side, and a single barrel gun was standing against the horse. Witness saw tracks of buggy turned around right near the horses and signs of a horse hitched to a telephone post. Got over the west fence and there found empty shotgun shells. These shells were six or eight feet from the fence.

Cross Examination. Witness re-stated where he lived. Mr. Woodson lived about the same distance north of where the shooting occurred. Had known Vaughn Bennett a long time. His left hand was under his body. Did not see any kind of mask. Witness made a statement to Will Woodson, but did not tell him a black cloth was tied over the face of Vaughn Bennett.

Ernest Woodson. Ernest Woodson was called and gave the following statements:

"I live with my father in District No. 5. Heard of Vaughn Bennett being killed the next morning, when I saw him after Cooksey came to my house. Went to the place and recognized him. There was a cloth over his forehead, covering his left eye."

Woodson described the location of the horses and Vaughn Bennett, as were described by former witness. "I observed," said he, "four shot holes in the back of the head. I never saw anything in either hand. I saw the guns lying near the horses. Saw pistol in the pocket of Bennett. It was loaded all round. The shells were found inside of the field, twelve or fifteen steps from where the horses were lying. Found some buckshot at Cooksey's house, one sticking in the house and another on the ground. I saw the piece of rope tied around the telephone post, and noticed that the knot had been drawn very hard. Saw horse tracks indicating the horse had tried hard to get loose. I assisted in moving Bennett's body to a barn 100 yards distant. He was not dead at the time."

The state here turned the witness over to defense for cross examination.

Court Adjourns. Mr. Leach stated that as court would adjourn at 12:30 they could not finish the cross examination. Judge Tyler then announced that out of respect to the memory of Major Clay Stacker, who died Sunday, he would adjourn the court until Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

NEGRO SHOT DEAD.

Resisted Arrest By Officers After Shooting Flagman.

Special Officer Ed Fitzgerald returned yesterday from Bardwell, Ky., and other points in the vicinity. He went there to take part in the hunt for a negro named Henry Winterfield who shot Flagman Johnson, of the Illinois Central, several days ago. The negro was tracked south and the hunt for him was cut short by news received yesterday that he was shot dead by officers in Mississippi. He was a desperate fellow, had two pistols on his person and resisted arrest vigorously.—Chicago Bulletin.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are small pills, easy to take, gentle and sure. Sold by all druggists.

"We came to ask your forgiveness, father," said the eloping couple. "Oh, well; all right," replied the parent. "But—" "Well?" "We charged the automobile to you!"—Yonkers Statesman.

In the game of hearts, when in doubt, always lead diamonds.

LA FRANCE SHOE FOR WOMEN



MODEL 1363

It is here awaiting your inspection—model 1363. It is Russia Calf, light tan, a really beautiful design, elegantly finished—and just out. It is intended especially for Fall wear by women who dress smartly and correctly.

Ask to see Model 1363—and see it soon. The sooner you see it the sooner you will be wearing it.

HARBOUR'S DEPART. North Third Street Just Off Broadway.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of John Birn, a Bankrupt.

On this 11th day of September, A. D. 1908, on considering the petition of the aforesaid bankrupt for discharge, filed on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1908, it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 26th day of September, A. D. 1908, before said court, at Louisville, said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as near thereto as practicable; and that notice thereof be published one time in the Paducah Sun, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Walter Evans, Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Paducah, in said district, on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1908.

J. R. PURYEAR, Clerk.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of James Washington, a Bankrupt.

On this 14th day of September, A. D. 1908, on considering the petition of the aforesaid bankrupt for discharge, filed on the 12th day of September, A. D. 1908, it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 26th day of September, A. D. 1908, before said court, at Louisville, said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as near thereto as practicable; and that notice thereof be published one time in the Paducah Sun, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

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J. R. PURYEAR, Clerk.

It's cheaper to be married than to be engaged.

BASEBALL NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	82	45	.641
Pittsburg	82	51	.619
Chicago	83	51	.619
Philadelphia	71	56	.559
Cincinnati	63	59	.514
Boston	56	77	.421
Brooklyn	41	86	.328
St. Louis	44	87	.336

At Philadelphia, Sept. 15.—Errors gave the game to the visitors. Score: Philadelphia 3 7 5 Boston 4 6 1 Batteries—McQuillan, Moren and Deola; Chappelle and Bowerman.

At New York, Sept. 15.—Jordan's home run with two on bases in the first inning was the feature. Score: R H E Brooklyn 3 10 0 New York 4 8 1 Batteries—Stucker, Pastorius and Dunn; Whitte and Bresnahan.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	75	59	.560
Detroit	75	56	.573
Cleveland	75	60	.556
St. Louis	73	59	.553
Philadelphia	61	67	.489
Boston	65	68	.489
Washington	58	71	.450
New York	43	88	.328

At Boston, Sept. 15.—Score: R H E Boston 2 7 6 New York 1 5 2 Batteries—Steele and Donahue; Lake and Kleinow.

At Washington, Sept. 15.—Score: R H E Washington 2 9 1 Philadelphia 1 10 0

Ten Innings. Batteries—Keely and Street; Salve and Powers.

Second Game.

Score: R H E Washington 0 3 2 Philadelphia 5 6 2

Batteries—Keely and Street; Coombs and Lapp.

Called in the eighth inning on account of darkness.

At St. Louis.

Score: R H E St. Louis 5 9 0 Detroit 2 9 2

Batteries—Powell and Smith; Donovan and Schmidt.

At Chicago.

Score: R H E Chicago 1 9 2 Cleveland 10 18 1

Batteries—Owen, Maniet and Sullivan; Joss and Reul.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	92	61	.601
Louisville	88	64	.579
Columbus	86	68	.558
Toledo	81	72	.530
Minneapolis	77	76	.504
Waukegan	71	82	.461
Kansas City	76	82	.484
St. Paul	48	105	.314

At Indianapolis.

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THE DAYLIGHT STORE

REPUBLICAN DOCTRINE OF PROTECTION.

(From Taft's speech of acceptance.)

The Republican doctrine of protection, as definitely announced by the Republican convention of this year and by previous conventions, is that a tariff shall be imposed on all imported products, whether of the factory, farm or mine, sufficiently great to equal the difference between the cost of production abroad and at home, and that this difference be between the higher wages paid in this country and the wages paid abroad, and embrace a reasonable profit to the American producer. A system of protection thus adopted and put in force has led to the establishment of a rate of wages here that has greatly enhanced the standard of living of the laboring man. It is the policy of the Republican party permanently to continue this standard of living. In 1897 the Dingley tariff bill was passed, under which we have had, as already said, a period of enormous prosperity.

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The consequent material development has greatly changed the conditions under which many articles described by the schedules of the tariff are now produced. The tariff in a number of the schedules exceeds the difference between the cost of production of such articles abroad and at home, including a reasonable profit to the American producer. The excess over that difference serves no useful purpose, but offers a temptation to those who would monopolize the production and the sale of such articles in this country, to profit by the excessive rate. On the other hand, there are other schedules in which the tariff is not sufficiently high to give the measure of protection which they should receive upon Republican principles, and as to those the tariff should be raised. A revision of the tariff undertaken upon this principle,

which is at the basis of our present business system, begun promptly upon the incoming of the new administration, and considered at a special session with the preliminary investigations already begun by the appropriate committees of the house and senate, will make the disturbance of business incident to such a change as little as possible.

Not a Fish.

Is an Australian turtle a "fish"? An act of the Australian parliament provides that a bounty is payable on preserved fish. An enterprising speculator in northern Australia has been producing preserved turtle on an extensive scale, and he claimed the bounty under this act. But after much consultation of dietitians the department has decided that the turtle is not a fish, but a "reptile." If American customs officials assent to this ruling Maryland may rise in revolt.—Boston Advertiser.

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Dust on store shelves and stock indicates disease.

It indicates a sluggish condition of the business blood.

Dust accumulates where trade delays. Dusting the shelves with a duster is like taking drugs—a dose now and then relieves, but it doesn't cure.

Build up the blood of your business and make the microbes migrate.

PRESCRIPTION:

Newspaper Advertising is the name of the best spring tonic, summer tonic, fall tonic and winter tonic for that tired feeling of trade depression. Take regularly.

RACES

TOMORROW AFTERNOON

The Second Day of the ANNUAL FALL RACES!

TOMORROW'S PROGRAM:

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RACES

NEW RAILROAD ORGANIZATION

Railroad Investors' and Employees Association.

To Encourage Friendly Relations and Promote Efficient Service, Says P. H. Morressey.

FOR THEIR MUTUAL BENEFIT.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—At a meeting of prominent railway officials and representatives of labor organizations whose members are employed on the railways the "American Railroad Employees' and Investors' Association" was formed.

A statement of the object of the meeting was made public by P. H. Morressey, grandmaster of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, to the effect that the purposes of the association are to use all lawful methods to cultivate and maintain between its members a spirit of mutual interest and concern on the part of all of them for the welfare and prosperity of the American railroads as well as to promote their successful and profitable operation for the benefit alike of the employees, investors and the public; encourage friendly meetings on the part of the public toward the railroads and their business; to publicly provide means and methods for obtaining consideration and hearing from legislative bodies and commissions empowered to enact laws, rules and regulations affecting railroads; to do whatever lawful things may be necessary to secure a fair return alike to capital and to labor interested in the railroads, with due regard at all times to efficient service, fair treatment and the safety of the public.

The association is at no time to be used for partisan political purposes, nor to take part in any controversy between railroad employees and railroad officials.

TAFT TO COME TO KENTUCKY.

Expected to Address the State Bankers' Association at Lexington.

Cincinnati, Sept. 15.—William H. Taft's first campaigning tour will begin Wednesday, September 23, if the candidate's present desire in the matter is observed.

It is regarded as not unlikely that Mr. Taft will accept the invitation to speak in Tennessee, and it is pointed out here that he would extend the Kentucky trip to Nashville and Chattanooga, and from there go to St. Louis and Kansas City, and then into the other middle western states.

"What is a parlor socialist?"
"A lady who believes in parlor socialism."
"But what is parlor socialism?"
"A belief that all gossip should be held in common."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

He has little faith in truth who tries out with a blanket every time the wind of criticism arises.

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Post Toasties
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"The Taste Lingers"
10c and 15c pkgs.
Made by
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Fall, 1908

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Fall, 1908

Two Remarkable Values in New Fall Tailored Suits



Our purchasing power has been so great this year that we are in a position to offer the greatest values this season than ever before. The two lots which we call special attention to are remarkable values. The identical suits are now shown and offered in larger cities at more than 20 cent more money than we are asking.

The \$25 LOT

Greens, Browns, Blues, Blacks.

THESE are all of the newest cuts, most stylish weaves and all satin lined, long and medium length coats, trimmed with buttons and braids. There are about ten styles to select from and every suit a bargain.

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Greys, Browns, Blues, Greens, Blacks.

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New Arrivals in Separate Skirts and Jackets

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ROWLAND HERRING WRITES LETTER DESCRIBING HIS TRIP ABROAD.

Mrs. R. Herring, of 315 South Third street, has received an interesting letter from her son, Rowland Herring, dated at Naples, Italy. Mr. Herring, who is returning from a four years' trip around the world for the Standard Oil company, should have landed in New York yesterday.

The letter says: Leaving in the morning for Rome; expect to spend a few days there. Would like to Sunday there and attend service at St. Peter's, but will probably be in Venice.

We landed at Brindisi early yesterday morning and as we could not get away before 6:30, took a drive over the town; it was very nice to be up so early. (The first time I had been up before nine in many a day.) The ride from there was very nice. We reached Toglia. All of this country is covered with vineyards and olive orchards. So much wine is made there that they use tank cars (the same as our oil tank cars) to transport it. At Foggia I met the first honest waiter in a hotel; we stopped there for lunch, and as our train was late we hardly thought we would have time for it, but anyway we went in, and had gotten about half through when the station guard came in and motioned (he couldn't speak English) all of us to our places, everyone arose hurriedly and got out before we had finished, when we took our places we found the train wouldn't go again for some minutes, then the waiter showed what a good man he was by bringing the rest of

our lunch to us in paper bags. He's the first person I've met who cared whether you got anything or not as long as you had paid. Arrived here at 5 p. m., too late to go anywhere so we contented ourselves in a look over the city. Naples is quite an important place, having been a town at the same time as Pompeii and Rome, but fortunately it escaped the eruption that destroyed Pompeii and two or three other cities; of course, none of that old city is here; the oldest buildings here now date from the twelfth century. This morning we took an electric car to Pompeii, and almost spent the day there, wandering about through the streets, and into the houses of the old Romans. "The surprising the fine state of preservation these things are in—the floors (Mosaic) of stone are as pretty and bright as they ever were, as are the paintings on the walls. The public baths (for the rich only) were something grand. The old streets, paved with huge blocks of stone, are just as they were then. "It's wonderful to see the deep ruts worn in them by the cart and chariot wheels, especially at the crossing of the two main streets, the excavating is still going on and fresh wonders are being disclosed. We could spend more time here, but the main things are in the Museum and the Cathedral, and as we will see the finest and oldest in Rome, we are leaving here without regret.

This hotel is a very nice one and has a fine view of Vesuvius, and the city as it is built on a hill, quite

away from the business part of town. Coming back here this afternoon from the station, we drove through the old city with its high buildings, built of blocks of lava and filled to overflowing with people. A thing that struck us as rather funny was seeing the men driving goats through the streets—it seems they supply the milk for the town, and are driven morning and evening to the houses where they are milked of just as much as is wanted—it's a cheap way of delivering the day's supply and it insures fresh milk. We were rather amused at an American couple (father and daughter), who came to the cafe at Pompeii, where we were waiting for the train. They wanted lemonade, but the girl, to be smart, called the waiter a Swiss, and in her best French asked for "Dona Limonade." He answered her in English and asked her "If she wanted lemon-squash?" "No! She wanted lemonade," again in French. He went away, but came back and tried to explain to her the difference, but no she knew what lemonade was, and she got it, but not what she wanted. It was bottled. They tried it, but couldn't drink it. She tried to find fault but he couldn't understand her French. They evidently just came out for in a' of this country a lemon, and a lemonade is the bottled stuff, and he charged her a franc (20c) which isn't fit to drink. They got in a cab at the station, and I heard her trying to speak to him—French again. He whipped up and came alongside our cab and tried to get our guide to tell him what she wanted, but the guide paid no attention to her. The last we saw of them they were trying to get some information from one of the police. She's just the kind that help to make Americans appear ridiculous. If she

had spoken in English the cable would have understood, for there isn't one in fifty that can't speak English. They make it their business. I suppose "Papa" had paid a lot for her French lessons and she came here to use it.

The porter, who took out traps at the railway station yesterday, informed me that he was an American soldier, having fought under U. S. Grant, and is now receiving ten dollars a month pension.

I'll probably write again from Rome, Venice or Paris.

AT LOUISVILLE

SUIT OF HENRY BENNETT WILL BE FILED TODAY.

Dyeburg Victim of Night Riders Institutes Proceedings for Damages.

Pleadings in the suit against the assailants of Henry Bennett, the Dyeburg night rider victim, were prepared yesterday afternoon by Captain Carl Henderson, county attorney of Crittenden county, and Judge James Campbell, of Paducah, and will be filed today in the federal court at Louisville. The names of the defendants will be withheld until service is returned by the United States marshal.

Henry Bennett was visited by a band of night riders last spring and taken from his home and fearfully beaten with thorn sticks. A warehouse belonging to Bennett was also

burned and he was forced to abandon his fine home at Dyeburg and flee to Indiana, where he now resides at Jeffersonville. Captain Henderson as county attorney of Crittenden county in which the crime was committed, has been relentless in his pursuit of the guilty parties and besides the civil suit criminal prosecutions will be instituted in the Crittenden circuit court.

Senator Wheeler Campbell, whose law office is now in Louisville, will assist the plaintiff's attorney.

Sporting Offer.

As he entered the restaurant the cut of his clothes betrayed him as a member of the sporting fraternity. Choosing a corner seat, he ordered oyster stew. When the dish was brought to him he looked at it with a critical frown and then he began excitedly to peel off his coat and vest.

"What's the matter? What's the matter," said the landlord, hurrying to the table.

The man looked at the stew, then at the landlord and said:

"Bet you 5 shillings I can swim from one oyster to another."—Chicago Journal.

Why Be Gray? Why allow silver hairs to mingle with the gold or brown or black or auburn as the case may be? There is no reason why a man should have gray hair, according to Prof. Metchnikoff, the eminent biologist. His remedy consists simply in curling or waving the hair to the action of a hot iron, for it is the effect of the heat that is the essential factor. Dr. Metchnikoff, we are told, in spite of his advanced age, has a fine head of hair which shows no trace of grayness. He has always used a curling iron, not from

any feeling of vanity, but because he maintains that the pigmentary cells of the hair are liable to be attacked by microbes which, in turn, are easily destroyed by the action of a hot iron. Thus the cells are preserved, and with them the primitive color of the hair. The remedy is absurdly simple, but we dare say that most men would prefer to have gray hair than to manipulate a curling iron. On the other hand, one is inclined to doubt the efficacy of the Russian scientist's discovery. Women have gray hair in spite of the frequent use of the curling iron.—Rochester Post Express.

There is only one man to whom women can be crueler than to the one she hates—that is the man whom she loves.

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F. W. Woody (assistant postmaster), Champaign, Ill.: "Herpicide completely stopped my falling hair." J. J. Bentley, Sheridan, Wyo.: "Herpicide excellent for cleaning the scalp." Sold by leading druggists. Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.—R. W. Walker Co., Special Agents.

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Personally appeared before me
this Sept. 3, 1908, R. D. MacMillen,
business manager of The Sun, who
affirms that the above statement of
the circulation of The Sun for the
month of August, 1908, is true to the
best of his knowledge and belief.
My commission expires January
10, 1912.

PETER PURYEAR,
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ANNOUNCEMENT.

County Court Clerk.
The Sun is authorized to announce
Hiram Smedley a candidate for re-
election to the office of Clerk of the
McCracken County Court subject to the
action of the Democratic party.

City Jailer.
The Sun is authorized to announce
Wade Brown a candidate for re-elec-
tion to the office of city jailer, sub-
ject to the action of the Republican
party.

Daily Thought.

Paradise is for those who command
their anger.—Koran.

We are still waiting for the News-
Democrat to tell us what it thinks of
a man who would scratch a ticket or
bolt a primary.

Mr. Maxim is about to patent a
process for the prolongation of hu-
man life. We were hoping that the
Wrights would soon invent a ship
that would fly right up to the platy
gates; but if scientists are about
to make us live here forever, barring
accidents, we shall stay out of flying
machines.

It is rumored that Emperor Wil-
liam, of Germany, will invite Presi-
dent Roosevelt to visit him after
Roosevelt's hunting trip. We have
no doubt of the correctness of the
rumor, and have from the first expected
that the year's hunting trip will be
followed by a trip around the world
and a visit to all the great courts. If
Providence spares Theodore Roose-
velt to his country, he will remain
her most useful citizen on his return.

How pleasant it is to see one, in
church or state or society, perform
his or her part simply, naturally,
unconsciously, without apology or
ostentation, neither withholding any-
thing through self-consciousness, nor
indulging in excess through vanity,
contributing his share to the success
of an enterprise as a matter of
course; just a wholesome, well-poised
human being devoid of conceit. It
is much a matter of bone training.

CALLED INTO SERVICE.

It is well for us to remember that
Judge Taft has never sought office.
He was called from the federal bench
against his own inclination by Presi-
dent McKinley to administer the
tangled affairs of the Philippines, at a
time when political preference
would not satisfy the demands of the
situation and a man of extraordinary
qualifications and equipment was
needed. The islands were in a state
of rebellion against this govern-
ment; nationalities, codes and creeds
were in confusion away out there in
the middle of the Pacific ocean, and
we did not even know to distinguish
between them; a conflict was raging
between the Catholic clergy and a
native faction over the friar lands,
and to make the situation worse our
government was inexperienced in
dealing with colonial affairs. There
was no precedent, and worse still, the
founders of the republic, not only had
not provided for such a contingency
as a founding province left on our
doorstep, but had congratulated

themselves on the spinster-like seclusion of America.
To become governor general of
such a possession, cut up as it is in
hundreds of islands and far away,
was not a tempting proposition to a
scholarly gentleman with a position
on the federal bench and aspirations
toward the supreme court. But Taft
yielded to persuasion and history will
record him as father of the American
colonial policy; the man who today
is preaching the gospel of fair play
for our territorial possessions. His
success in the Philippines and at
Hawaii, where he negotiated the friar
land settlement, brought him other
duties in Panama in Cuba and in the
war department. As Grover Cleve-
land said, our colonial policy is one
of our big problems, and no one else
is so fitted for the task as Taft. He
has been around the world and knows
our foreign relations and the people
personally with whom we have to
deal; he is a learned judge, a scholar,
a diplomat and a sincere patriot. His
patriotism was tested when he was
induced to leave the comforts of the
bench for the discomforts of Manila.
His character was proven when he de-
nounced Coxism in Ohio, after he was
mentioned for president, and again
last week in the midst of a national
campaign, he refused Cox's assist-
ance. Henry Clay said he "would
rather be right than be president";
William H. Taft proved that he
would.

NOT BEHAVING WELL.

"Perhaps Mr. Norman E. Meek,
chairman of the national Democratic
executive committee, may not think
it worth while to pay any attention
to the south," says the Chattanooga
Times (Dem.), "but signs are in-
creasing that he may have to change
his opinion. A perusal of the Demo-
cratic newspapers of Tennessee and
Georgia should convince him that
things aren't looking exactly right.
In this state, for instance, newspa-
pers professedly advocating Mr. Bryan's
election are openly assailing the
state organization, defying the plat-
form and hardly giving the candidates
even lukewarm support. This in the
face of a harmonized and organized
opposition is dangerous. In Georgia,
very much the same conditions exist.
The following from the Macon Tele-
graph is significant:

"Watson has been here; Hearst,
Higgen and Graves are coming, and
also likely Yancy. But Bryan did not
come; nor, so far as known, is any
Democrat of national, or even state
reputation, coming to Macon. Atlanta
made a small effort to have a Demo-
cratic rally, but it proved a failure.
Bryan was whooped up a little bit,
but the name of the Democratic can-
didate for governor was hissed and
insulted, and Hoke smiled."

DON'T CLOSE THE SCHOOLS.

The idea of closing the schools tem-
porarily during the year is not to be
considered. That time could never be
made up. Money spent can be made
up; time lost is lost forever. Take
six months out of a child's life, and
then expect him to make up that six
months later in life, indeed! How
many adults have ever made up a
lost minute? While you were mak-
ing it up, you were losing another
minute. Whether or not you favor
the bond issue, you must not talk of
closing down the schools. Let us not
stake everything on that question.
Let us ascertain just how much mon-
ey is required to maintain the schools,
and what the deficit is and secure the
amount. Don't spend a cent of re-
venue from the state and the city levy
to pay interest and floating debt.
That is the mistake previous boards
made, and it only involves the
schools the deeper. We can take
care of old debts some other way.
What we are interested in is the con-
tinuance of the schools.

Chickasaw Legislature.

Thishomingo, Okla., Sept. 15.—A
special session of the Chickasaw In-
dian legislature is in session for the
purpose of revising the homestead
taxation. Governor Johnson is pre-
siding.

Messrs. Charles and William Bell
will leave this evening for Terre
Haute, where they will attend the
Hoosier Polytechnic school.

County Attorney and Mrs. Alben
Barkley, of North Fifth street, are
the parents of a fine girl baby,
weighing ten pounds at birth.

MARCHING KITCHEN FOR ARMY.

Huge Kettle on Wheels, Bought in
Europe, Reaches New York.

Washington, Sept. 15.—The army
may have a "marching kitchen." The
commissary general of the army has
arranged for the shipment to Wash-
ington Barracks of the rolling soup
kitchen, which he saw while in
Europe and which he has now been
informed has reached New York as a
result of the orders for its purchase
given by General Sharpe a few weeks
ago.

General Sharpe does not have too
much faith in the kitchen, because
there are conditions of transportation
and problems of mobility to be taken
into consideration. The moving
kitchen is of restricted use and is not
quite what its name implies, since it
is used only for the preparation of
soup or stew, without having any of
the general and larger functions of
the kitchen. It is simply a huge kettle
on wheels and is usually drawn
when in use in the Russian or Ger-
man armies, by two horses.

NOT TRUE

PATROLMAN JOHNSON DENIES
STORY FROM CALIFORNIA.

Says He Received a Telegram From
His Daughter and She Will Write
at Once.

According to Patrolman and Mrs.
William M. Johnson, the news
"story" sent out from Los Angeles
relative to the disappearance of Mrs.
Lawrence Raso, formerly of Padu-
cah, is untrue. Patrolman Johnson
stated that he had received a tele-
gram from his daughter in response
to one he sent yesterday. She stated
she was well and would write a let-
ter, which is expected tomorrow. The
article as published in the city papers
was:

"Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 13.—
Mysterious circumstances surround-
ing the disappearance of his young
and beautiful wife have driven Law-
rence Raso, of the Fourth street
railway, frantic with fear that she
may have been slain. Mrs. Raso,
28 years old, was the belle of Padu-
cah, Ky., where her early life was
passed, and where her parents still
live.

"She disappeared from her apart-
ments in the Key West hotel about
10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Since
that time her husband, aided by the
best detectives, has been unable to
find any clue as to her whereabouts.
"A woman phoned Mr. Raso at
his office Wednesday morning asking
him what beach his wife was visit-
ing." The woman refused to give her
name."

Original "Press Agent" Dead.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—Hugh Coyle,
credited with being the original of
the modern press agent, died in this
city Saturday, although news of his
death did not become public until to-
day. He was 65 years of age, and
death was due to cancer. The de-
cedent was widely known in theatri-
cal circles. He was a telegraph op-
erator and drummer boy in the civil
war, after which he created the pos-
ition of "press agent," as it is known
today. He served for years on the
publicity staff of P. T. Barnum.

WILSON OF KENTUCKY
TO SPEAK IN MISSOURI.

St. Louis, Sept. 15.—C. D. Morris,
of St. Joseph, announced that he has
secured Gov. Augustus E. Wilson, of
Kentucky, as one of the speakers for
the opening of the Republican state
campaign at Springfield, Mo., next
Saturday. The campaign inaugu-
ral will be a big political event in south-
west Missouri, and will attract a large
crowd to Springfield from Greene
and surrounding counties. Senator
Warner will be chairman of the gather-
ing. Herbert S. Hadley, nominee
for governor, and most of the other
state candidates will attend. Dade
county Republicans have organized a
marching club of 500 members, and
there will be a large turnout for a
parade. Special trains will be run
into Springfield from a number of
points. The rally will last all day,
with speaking in the afternoon and
at night.

The Best Equipped Candidate.

Of all the presidential candidates
within the memory of this generation,
Taft is unquestionably the best equip-
ped, in training and experience, and
in wide and close contact with large
affairs. In one important respect his
equipment is unlike that of any of the
presidents, no one of whom had ever
served on the bench. With the ex-
ception of those nominated on their
military records, and two or three
who had been governors of their
states, the presidents have been men
whose political training was in the
legislative branch. Taft was never
in congress, or even in his state legis-
lature. He is wholly without personal
experience in what is called practical
politics. He was educated for the
bar; early became a judge; the
whole trend of his thought and of his
ambition has been in the line of the
judiciary, and his ingrained judicial
temperament it was that made him so
conspicuously useful and successful
in the many difficult administrative
problems he was later called upon to
solve.

It was a distinct sacrifice he made
when President McKinley took him
from a life position that he enjoyed
and that was in line of his dearest
hopes, to lay upon him the burden
of establishing peace and order in
the Philippines. The judgment, tact
and skill with which he carried out
that great task; the candid diplomat
with which he smoothed away perplex-
ing obstacles; the unselfish devotion
with which he has upheld the inter-
ests of those far-away people in the
face of indifference at home, were a
honor to the nation. The same qual-
ities of a wise adjudicator have been
repeatedly at the service of the coun-
try. In Cuba, in Panama, in Japan
it has been necessary only to "send
for Taft." Misunderstandings are
cleared up and difficulties vanish be-
fore this gracious personality; the
clouds, clear, disengaging mind. His
intellectual integrity and disinterested
advice have been as unmistakable as
his quiet strength, his unswerving
sense of justice, his absolute honesty.

It is not a mind that moves by im-
pulse or in startling flashes; it is a
mind well poised and of singular lu-
cidly, that reaches its results by log-
ical principles, which do not antagon-
ize, but convince.—From the Phila-
delphia Public Ledger, Ind. Dem.

The Port of
Missing
Men.

By Meredith Nicholson,
Author of "The House of a
Thousand Candles."

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(Continued from last issue.)

"How do you classify me, please—
with friends or acquaintances?"
He laughed; then the gravity of what
she was doing changed his tone.
"I am John Armitage. That is all
you know, and yet you hazard your
life to warn me that I am in danger?"
"If you called yourself John Smith
I should do exactly the same thing. It
makes no difference to me whether you
are who or what you are."
"You are explicit," he laughed. "I
don't hesitate to tell you that I value
your life much higher than you do."
"That is quite unnecessary. It may
amuse you to know that, as I am a
person of little curiosity, I am not the
least concerned in the solution of of-
fense, which might be called the Armitage
riddle."

He distinguished a woman's figure and
name.

"Not of me, I hope?"
"Certainly not. But it has occurred
to me that you may have the conceit
of your own mystery, that you may
take rather too much pleasure in mys-
tifying people as to your identity."
"That is unkind—that is unkind!"
and he spoke without resentment, but
softly, with a falling cadence. He sud-
denly threw down the hat he had held
in his hand, and extended his arms to
ward her.

"You are not unkind or unjust. You
have a right to know what I am and
what I am doing here. It seems im-
portant to thrust my affairs upon
you, but if you will listen I should like
to tell you—it will take but a moment—
why and what?"

"Please do not! As I told you, I
have no curiosity in the matter. I can't
allow you to tell me. I really don't
want to know."
"I am willing that every one should
know tomorrow—or the day after to-
morrow—"

"She lifted her head, as though with
the earnestness of some new thought.
"The day after may be too late.
Whatever it is that you have done—"

"I have done nothing to be ashamed
of. I swear I have not!"

"Whatever it is, and I don't care
what it is," she said deliberately, "it
is something quite serious, Mr. Armitage.
My brother—"

"She hesitated for a moment, then
spoke rapidly.
"My brother has been detailed to
help in the search for you. He is at
Storm Springs now."

"But he doesn't understand—"
"My brother is a soldier, and it is
not necessary for him to understand."

"And you have done this—you have
come to warn me?"

"It does look pretty bad," she said,
changing her tone and laughing a lit-
tle. "But my brother and I—we al-
ways had very different ideas about
you, Mr. Armitage. We hold briefs
for different sides of the case."

"Oh, I'm a case, am I?" And he
laughed gladly at the suggestion of
lightness in her tone. "But I'd really
like to know what he has to do with
my affairs."

"Then you will have to ask him."
"To be sure. But the government
can hardly have assigned Captain Clai-
borne to special duty at M. Charne-
net's request. I swear to you that I'm
as much in the dark as you are."

"I'm quite sure no officer of the blue
would not be taken from his duties
and sent into the country on any frivolous
errand. But perhaps an ambassa-
dor from a great power made the re-
quest—perhaps, for example, it was
Heron von Marhof."

"Good Lord!"
Armitage laughed aloud.
"I beg your pardon! I really beg
your pardon! But is the ambassador
looking for me?"

leaped in him, and he spoke on with a
fierce haste. "You have made sacrific-
es for me that no woman ever made
before for a man—for a man she did
not know. And my life, whatever it is
worth, every hour and second of it, I
lay down before you, and it is yours
to keep or to throw away. I followed
you halfway round the world, and I
shall follow you again and as long as
I live. And tomorrow or the day after
I shall justify these great kindnesses,
this generous confidence, but tonight I
have no work to do."

As they stood on the verge of the de-
file by the bridge that swung out from
the cliff like a fairy structure they
heard for and faint the whistle and
low rumble of the night train south-
bound from Washington, and to both
of them the sound urged the very real
and practical world from which for a
little time they had stolen away.

"I must go back," said Shirley and
turned to the bridge and left her hand
on its slight iron frame, but he held
her wrists and held them tight.

"You have risked much for me, but
you shall not risk your life again in
my cause. You cannot venture across
that bridge again."

She yielded without further parley
and he dropped her wrists at once.

"Please say no more. You must not
make me sorry I came. I must go. I
should have gone long since."

"But not across that spider's web.
You must go by the long road. I will
give you a horse and ride with you
into the valley."

"It is much nearer by the bridge, and
I have my horse over there."

"We shall get the horse without trou-
ble," he said, and she walked beside
him through the starlight wood. As they
crossed the open tract she said:

"This is the Port of Missing Men."
(To be continued in next issue.)

POWELL

WILL SURRENDER TO THE POLICE
THIS WEEK.

Man Who Used Gun Saturday Night
Is Waiting for His Attorney to
Return.

Friends and relatives of A. C.
Powell, who shot the Pritchetts in a
fight on North Tenth street Saturday
night, made the statement this morn-
ing that he will surrender as soon as
his attorney, Mike Oliver, who is out
of the city, returns. Powell has been
in hiding since the shooting, but no
special effort has been made on the
part of the officers to apprehend him,
as it is understood he will surrender.
It is now given out that he will sur-
render tomorrow or Thursday.

Postmasters Meet.

Chattanooga, Sept. 15.—The post-
masters of the first class in the United
States opened their convention this
city being called to order at
3:30 o'clock. Hon. J. L. Waite,
president of the association, presided.
The first day's program is as follows:
Introductory address, Hon. W.
Scott Ransom, postmaster of Chat-
tanooga.

Invocation by E. H. Race, presi-
dent of the University of Chattanooga.

Address of welcome, Mayor W. R.
Carrabee.

Address, Hon. H. Clay Evans, for-
mer first assistant postmaster general.

Response, Robert B. Woods, chair-
man executive committee.

Address, President J. L. Waite.

Announcement of committees.

Announcement of topics, Chairman
of Topics Committee, R. E. Cabot,
Richmond, Va.

HAILEY HEADS COMMISSION.

Country Life Investigators to Hold
First Meeting Within Week.

Washington, Sept. 15.—The com-
mission on country life, which Presi-
dent Roosevelt appointed a month
ago, is fully organized and will hold
its first meeting probably within a
week in this city. Prof. H. H. Hailey,
head of the New York State College
of Agriculture, has accepted the presi-
dent's appointment as chairman.

Every part of the country is repre-
sented. Dr. Kenyon L. Butterfield,
president of the Massachusetts Agri-
cultural College, represents the east;
Henry Wallace, of Des Moines, Iowa,
the west; and Walter H. Pace, the
magazine editor, who comes from
North Carolina, the south.

WRIGHT REPORT MADE PUBLIC.

Finds 32 Indian Claimants Entitled
to Allotments.

Washington, Sept. 15.—The com-
missioner of Indian affairs has made
public a report made to him by J. H.
Wright, commissioner to the five civil-
ized tribes, under date of November
16, 1907, concerning 32 members of
the five tribes, and to whom land
general congressional enactment for
such enrollment and allotment. The
data is important to the claimants,
and already the attorneys of many of
them have exerted themselves to
gain access to the document, but
hitherto without success. The report
has been guarded because of the dif-
ficulties standing in the way of re-
gulating the rolls, for it is realized
that if another opportunity is offered
many Indians whose claims are not
clear nor so meritorious as the 32
will seek to have themselves included
in the favored lists.

Funny Letters Are Received by the
Government Department at Washington

Washington, Sept. 15.—Probably
no branch of the government service
receives so many "crank" communi-
cations as the department of justice.

Hardly a day passes but the post-
man brings queries from citizens ask-
ing solution of some legal situation,
denunciations of governmental pol-
icy, offers of assistance and advice on
how to run things, and, oftentimes, pa-
thetic little messages of disappoint-
ment and life failure.

Assistant Attorney General Russell
recently returned from Oklahoma,
where he went to settle up certain
Indian land disputes. In the course
of his work there, he issued subpoen-
as to a great many settlers. Upon
his arrival here he found a curious
letter.

One of the men on whom a
subpoena had been served wrote, "I
pray you my honor have pity on me
and tell my servant the matter
whereof I am complained against and
charged with."

"The Hon. Melville W. Fuller, chief
Justice of the Supreme Court of the
United States of America, at the city
of Muskogee"—the form of saluta-
tion with which the government's
subpoenas were headed. The writer
was pathetically frightened. He in-
terpreted "my Lord" and "your
honor" throughout, and wound up
with an appeal for an audience, stat-
ing his willingness to come all the
way to Washington to find out what
the accusation was. Judge Russell
explained the matter by letter.

A South Boston (Mass.) man re-
cently addressed 42 close-spaced type-
written pages to the department, de-
tailing his marital vicissitudes, and
they were of the variety defined by
General Sherman's famous epigram
about war.

The other day quite the most puzz-
ling of the recent letters was received.

It read:
"Madison, Wis., Attorney General
Bonaparte. As a family we have
been dragged most of the time for
the last 20 years."

"MRS."
The late J. Sterling Morton was
fond of relating the story of a letter
he had received when secretary of ag-
riculture. A young western farmer
was anxiously courting the daugh-
ter of a neighbor—also a farmer—
at whose home he was wont to in-
dulge in an occasional game of cards.

The girl's father was a volup-
tuous and crop correspondent, and
as such was furnished with franked
envelopes and stationery of the de-
partment of agriculture.

One evening the young man mark-
ed the score on one of the depart-
ment's envelopes. Later, in fly ex-
amining it, he was horrified to dis-
cover the words "\$300 penalty for
private use." In the upper right hand
corner, filled with dreadful thoughts
of prosecution, the prospective bride-
groom sat down and wrote an appeal-
ing letter to the secretary, the burden
of which was "Please Mr. Morton
don't prosecute me." At the end his
sweetheart wrote "Please Mr. Sec-
retary, if John has to pay his fine we
won't never be able to get married,
as it will take every cent he has
saved."

The pathetic side of the case ap-
pealed to Morton. Of course, there
was a ridiculous side, too, for the
penalty clause on an official envelope
refers only to its use through the
mails. He therefore dictated a
long, fatherly letter to the young
man, taking care not to wound him by
pointing out the ridiculousness of the
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You always find the new features here. This time we direct your attention to our window displays in cluster stripe platted bosom shirts at \$2.00. Also the bias satin stripe four-in-hands at 50c. Both are new.

THE LOCAL NEWS

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 440 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.
—Visit Page's short order restaurant, 123 South Second.
—Forms for real estate agents for sale at this office.
—Artistic floral designs to order. Also keep a stock of wax and metal designs. Branson's, 529 Broadway.
—20,000 rolls of wall paper must be sold in the next 30 days at half price. Come and get choice selections. Kelly & Pimburgh, 321 Kentucky avenue. Both phones.
—City subscribers to The Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.
—Numbering machines, datern, rubber type, brass and aluminum checks, pens, Hubber stamps made to order. Diamond Stamp Works, 115 South Third. Phone 358.
—The Sexton Sign Works has completed one of the largest signs in the city on the wall of the Rhodes-Hurford Furniture company. The sign is at the top of the fourth story and the large letters may be read easily several blocks away. Although the painter worked under a disadvantage the sign is a splendid piece of work.
—The Rev. J. H. Wallace is conducting a revival at Twenty-third street and Kentucky avenue, with interest at every service. Services are held every afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and every night at 7:30 o'clock.
—Before bedtime last night, a thief entered the home of Mrs. Richard Tolbert on Goodrich avenue, and stole her pocketbook containing \$10. The money was taken from the safe in the kitchen. No clue was left.
—Fire companies Nos. 1, 3 and 4 were called to 429 North Seventh street this afternoon. An outburst caught fire from hot ashes that were dumped near it. The loss was trivial.

NIGHT HIDER ORGANIZATION

Is Being Formed to Hold Cotton in Arkansas.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 15.—A night hider organization is being formed in Arkansas to compel the holding of cotton. A number of farmers have been threatened.

Dynamite Explosion.

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 15.—A car load of dynamite exploded from an unknown cause in the Katy freight depot at Windsor, 20 miles south of here, this morning. Over a dozen on the depot platform were injured and several are likely to die. All are Windsor men.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Overstreet have returned from Newark, Ohio.

A Good Five Cent Cigar

Is something so rare that when you have two winners it's worth talking about. Most every smoker in town knows and likes THE SENIOR and CONTRACT five cent cigars, sold exclusively by us and if you don't, you're missing something good. Next time don't be satisfied with a "tobac," call for a

SENIOR
or
CONTRACT
5c for one or a million.
Gilbert's Drug Store
4th and Broadway
Either Phone No. 77.
Get it at Gilbert's.

NEWS OF COURTS

In Circuit Court.
Alleging that his wife had left the state in company with one Bert Brown, John B. Carroll, a steamboat man, filed suit for divorce from Annie Carroll. The couple were married April 18, 1903, and lived together until September 8, 1908, when it is claimed the wife abandoned her home and is now living in the state of Arkansas.

In Police Court.
The docket in police court this morning was: Drunk—Sardie Moss, \$1 and costs. Breach of ordinance—Louis Caporal, continued until September 16. Breaking into box car—O. T. Ellison and Florence Langston, colored, held to the grand jury. Breaking into a locker—Charles Goodall colored, continued until September 16.

In Bankruptcy.
A petition was filed in bankruptcy this afternoon by James H. Happy, a traveling man of Mayfield. His liabilities will amount to about \$4,000.

EVELYN SUED BY MILLNER.
Loses Portrait White Had Painted for Her on \$230 Bill.

New York, Sept. 15.—Because Evelyn Thaw, wife of Harry Thaw, the slayer of Stanford White, failed to pay a balance of \$230 remaining on a milliner's bill of \$586 incurred for hats, waist and skirt, a sheriff's deputy today seized on an execution of judgment a portrait of young Mrs. Thaw which the famous artist, Harrington Mays, made of her at the request of White. It is said that during the second trial of Thaw, Evelyn, on one of her visits to the milliner, Miss Rhile Hartwig, produced her portrait as her dearest possession. She said she sat for it on her last visit to Paris, prior to her return to this country with Thaw, and that White designed the frame, a handsome affair.

Mrs. Thaw wished Miss Hartwig to take care of it, and Miss Hartwig did so until she failed to get the balance of her bill, when she handed it over to her lawyers. When Miss Hartwig obtained her judgment the lawyers directed the sheriff to levy on it.

Socialists Disturb Procession.
Hudsonport, Sept. 15.—The Socialists created serious disturbances during the Eucharistic procession which was held in connection with the Catholic congress now sitting here. The police used their swords to restore order and fifty of the rioters were arrested.

Murderers Attempt Escape.
Salt Lake, Sept. 15.—Convicts Deeming and Sullivan and Majors, held for murder, were badly beaten following an attempt to escape. They boast they will escape yet.

Flight of the Legitimate.
The 5-cent nickelodeon and the tabloid "demon" of the vaudeville house are driving real actors and actresses to the tall timber. The summer stock is yet saved to them, but the hook of the syndicate motor car sounds in the near distance.

If you are not prepared to diet don't attempt to live on love.

OUR FRESH OYSTERS

Have arrived

50c
Per Quart.

IDEAL
MEAT MARKET

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

School League.
The Jefferson School Improvement League will hold its first meeting of the season at the Jefferson school building Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The following is the program for the afternoon:
"The Call of the School Bell," "Ignorance is Vice," "Knowledge is Power."

(a) Address—Supt. J. A. Carnahan.
(b) "The Teacher's Problem"—Miss Hinnah Bonds.
(c) "The Parents' Problem"—Mrs. M. S. Garrow.
(d) "The Meaning of School League"—Mrs. Hal Corbett.
(e) "The Health Problem"—Dr. Della Caldwell.

Enjoyable Dance.

The Heneplacito club entertained with a dance last night in the "Three Links" building in honor of Miss Ruth Shelbourne, of Jackson, Tenn., and Miss Anna Stevens, of Louisville. Those present were: Misses Ruth Shelbourne, Jackson, Tenn.; Anna Stevens, Louisville; Ruby Johnson, Emma Jones, Anna Harlan, Nell Grogan, Katie Grogan, Mary Grogan, Gertrude Fisher, Mary Harry, Nell Bryant, Irene Curd, Ethel Creemans, Ruth Creemans, Cora Dunlap, Ruby Dunlap, Maud Elder, Elsie Elam, Edna Gockel, Geraldine Gibson, Mabel Hughes, Lucy Jones, Emma Mix, Cora Miller, Vera Province, Lena Purchase, Ethel Robertson, Marie Roth, Helen Sellers, May Sauerberg, Cora Seanson, Sammy Wallace, Lucy Watts, Sarah Wilson, Cora Wilson, Messrs. Monte Atkins, Mel Byrd, Marshall Jones, E. G. Hinchey, Jr., Clarence King, Wilmer Nowlin, Oran Bell, Lon Vile, Fred Kenney, William Rouse, J. J. Wilkerson, Joe Fisher, A. Jenkins, Eddyville; A. G. Kirk, William Isaman, Curtis Seamon, Jesse Thurman, Carl Meyer, R. T. Harris, William Smith, Fred Keith, Joe Carskenden, Al Wolf, R. H. Card, J. A. Davis, Lieut. Adams, of Grand Rivers; Messrs. and Mesdames Frank Hill, Ed Rogers, Phil Rogers and Cecil Gilliam.

German Club Tonight.
The German club will entertain the visitors this evening with a dance at the Wallace park pavilion.

Pleasant River Party.
Mr. William F. Horton, of Thirteenth and Trimble streets, gave a river party Sunday evening on the Tennessee river. In the party were Mr. William F. Horton and Miss Louella Moss and Mr. Albert N. Moss, Mrs. Annie Moss and Miss Mary Kilgore all of Paducah.

Lunch Ride.
Mr. Thomas Hoffman entertained a few of his intimate friends last night with a lunch ride up the Tennessee river in the launch Delt. After several hours of riding the party went to the Cottonwood bar where delicious refreshments were served. Those in the party were Messrs. Marjorie Hammon, Antoinette Kolb, Orlin Clark, Florence Hammon and Christy Kolb; Messrs. Charles Peters, Will Clark, Thomas Hoffman and Chester Keith.

Dance for Visitor.
In honor of visitors in the city the young men entertained with a dance last night at "Evelyn" the country home of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Wallace, in Arrendia. It was one of the most delightful dances of the season. Many of the country homes will be closed in the next few weeks and society will have to seek the city once more. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Brooks, Misses Belle Cave, Philippa Hughes, Rebecca Heed, of Fort Smith, Ark.; May Owen, Little May Winstead, Miss Wright, Henry Allcott, Anita Kolb, Frances Wallace, Mary Cave, Blanche Hill, Lillian Gregory, Rose Bradshaw, Ethel Brooks, Helen Barker, Corinne Winstead, and Messrs. Fred Wade, Douglas Bagby, Edwin Paxton, George Dutoits, H. C. Foss, Wallace Well, Leo Keller, James Langstaff, Charles Kopf, Walter Iverson, Frank Davis, David Koger, Stewart Slinott, Dr. I. B. Howell, Gay Kidd, Arthur Y. Smith, Calhoun Kleke, V. Thomas.

The Mechanicsburg M. E. church will serve dinner at Rhodes-Burford's Wednesday, September 16th. The menu for the dinner is:
Soup, Roast Beef, Creamed Potatoes, and Other Vegetables, Salad, and Pickles, Ice Tea and Coffee, Biscuit and Corn Bread, Lemon Pie, Dessert Extra.
Menu for Supper.
Vea Loaf, Salmon Salad, Potato Salad, Graham Gems, Biscuit, Ice Tea, Coffee and Cake, Extra fine Jello.

Wed in Princeton.
Miss Nellie Carter Gresham and Mr. John L. Elliott will be married tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in Princeton. The wedding will come as a surprise to their many friends. Both are popular young people with many friends in Paducah. After a wedding trip south they will be at home in Princeton. Miss Gresham is the daughter of Mrs. Polk Gresham, and is a young woman of talent. She has lived in Paducah every winter, but in the summer has lived several miles out from Princeton. Mr. Elliott is a popular Paducah boy and is the son of Mrs. Ollie Elliott, 628 North Sixth street. He is a fireman on the Illinois Central railroad and a trustworthy young man. Mr. and Mrs. Check Davidson and Mrs. Robert McCarty and daughter, Miss Ella McCarty, relative of Miss Gresham, will attend the wedding from Paducah.

Mrs. J. M. Ezell has returned from a visit to Mrs. Smith Fields in Fulton.
Miss Ruby Dunlap has returned from a visit to the Misses Crabtree in Mayfield.
Mrs. Murray Cabell and child will return to St. Louis today after a visit to Mrs. Allie Cabell.
Miss Oella and Maggie Finley, of near Tyler, were the guests of Misses Johnnie and Ruby Lane, near Krebs, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Alvey have returned to Henderson to make their home.
Man Lucette Soule, of this city, has been awarded a partial scholarship in the College of Music in Cincinnati, where she is studying voice culture.
Master George Shelton, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Shelton, of North Seventh street, left Monday for Danville, to attend Center college.
Mr. and Mrs. George C. Wallace and family will move from their country home, "Ellerlie," on the Pines road, this week to their residence on North Ninth street.
Miss Katherine Gleaves and Miss Nell Mercer have returned from a week's visit to Marion, Ill.
Capt. B. Owen went to Hopkins county this morning.
Attorney Mike Olliver went to Murray on legal business this morning.
Attorney Frank A. Lucas went to Almo, Calhoun county, this morning.
Hon. Everett A. Hughes, mayor of Murray, and cashier of the Bank of Murray, is in the city.
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ingram arrived today from Waxahatchie, Tex., on a visit to Mrs. L. Snyder, 1108 Trimble street. Mr. and Mrs. Ingram left last fall for Texas to reside, but will remain in Paducah.
Mrs. Emma House and daughter, Mrs. George Gasser and children, of Cape Girardeau, Mo., are guests of Mrs. L. Snyder, 1108 Trimble street.
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Paxton have returned from Potosky, Mich., where they spent several weeks.
Mr. T. F. Ryan, of Porto Rico, arrived today on a visit to Mr. Edwin J. Paxton, 1438 Jefferson street. Mr. Ryan is the son-in-law of Mr. A. J. Grief, of Porto Rico, who will arrive in Paducah next week on a visit to his old home.
Miss Anna Stevens left this morning for her home in Louisville after a pleasant visit to friends and relatives in the city.
Mr. and Mrs. O. Bowyer and little daughters, Roberta and Emma, will leave this evening for Cincinnati, where they will attend the fifth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. Bowyer's mother.
Mrs. Robert Finn and children have returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Union county.
Mrs. L. L. Lyell and children, of Werner, Tenn., are guests of Mrs. Lyell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Short, 1002 South Fourth street.
Mrs. H. B. Burnett, of Paris, Tenn., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Owen, of 1011 Trimble street.
Judge James Campbell has gone to Louisville on business.
Messrs. H. M. Harper, 921 South Eleventh street, and G. L. Garrett, 1101 Jefferson street, left today for Salt Lake City, on a pleasure trip.
Little Miss Ruby Mithun, 826 Madison street, is ill of malarial fever at her home.
City Clerk Maurice McIntyre is ill again of malaria at his home, Twelfth and Madison streets.
City Treasurer J. J. Dorian has been appointed a member of the committee on Irish-American day at the state fair Friday.
Mrs. George T. Irwin arrived today from Mantoloking, Col., where she spent the summer, on a visit to her sisters, Miss Kate White and Mrs. Charles Johnson, 412 Clark street.
Mrs. Catherine Temple and Miss Annie Temple, of Maxon's Mill, are visiting Mrs. S. Z. Holland, of Grahamville.
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Duppre, 1117 North Twelfth street, are the parents of a fine girl baby weighing twelve pounds.
Mrs. J. J. Gough and S. M. Fields, of Benton, passed through the city this afternoon en route to Chicago, where they will re-enter the Chicago Veterinary college for another course of instruction.
Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Phillips and children, of 500 Harahan boulevard, have returned from a visit to Elizabethton, where they spent the summer.
Mrs. M. Brogan, of 1215 Trimble street, will leave for Little Rock tomorrow to visit Mrs. Mary Lloyd.
Miss Carrie Trueheart, who has been visiting in Paducah for several months, left today for her home in Louisville.
The Misses Faith and Dorothy Langstaff left today for Louisville to visit for a few days.
Miss Elsie Dandridge, who has been visiting Miss Lillian Gregory, left today for her home at Frankfort.

A Yellow Skin

often results from coffee drinking.

POSTUM

gives one the ruddy glow of health.
"There's a Reason."

COUNTY TEACHERS

WILL MEET AT SUNNY SLOPE SCHOOL SEPT. 6.

Program for the First County Institute—Hillsdale New School Law.

The first meeting of the County Teachers' association to be held since its organization will be at Sunny Slope school house September 19. The following is the program for the meeting:

8:00—Devotional exercises.
9:15—Duty of teachers and trustees toward increasing attendance—Henry Yarbrough; Dora Draffen.
9:45—Common school graduation—Leslie Alexander; Peare Miles.
10:15—Recess.
10:30—Opportunity this year for teaching civics by object lessons—Rudolph Taylor (national civics); W. A. Middleton (house civics).
11:00—General discussion of the new school law.
12:00—Noon recess.
1:30—Reading circle—First two chapters of Roark's psychology.
3:00—Benefits derived from reading professional books—J. S. Ragsdale.
3:30—Difficulties so far met; how to overcome them.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

New Richmond—W. B. Smith, Malde, Tenn.; P. K. Cooksey, Nowell McCluney, Dyessburg; F. L. Clayton, Owensboro; F. E. Hagard, Martin; R. Halt, Ragland; J. W. Robb, Denver; D. B. Johnson, Clay; F. B. Heed, Golconda; Cande Rogers, Roaring Springs.

ABRUZZI OFF TO AMERICA.

Early Marriage With Miss Katherine Elkins Indicated.

Rome, Sept. 15.—An early marriage of the Duke of Abruzzi and Miss Katherine Elkins is indicated in the duke's request of the navy department for a three months' leave of absence, to visit the Elkins family. January 29 was the date for the wedding, being the duke's birthday anniversary. His request for a leave of absence is said to mean that he will try to induce Miss Elkins to wed during his trip to America. This means that Queen Margherita's objections would be ignored.

Calls Board Bill Suit a Plot.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 15.—Gov. C. N. Haskell, of Oklahoma, treasurer of the Democratic national committee, who was sued Saturday for \$1,122.25 for board for himself and family at the Turner hotel, Muskogee, says the suit was inspired by Oklahoma's Republican machine.
He said if "the gang" is looking for a scrap it can't possibly find anybody who will fight quicker than he will.

The governor said his family is a heavy stockholder in the hotel property; that dues of himself and family were always charged off by the president of the building company, A. A. Kluney, as part payment for rent. He says Fred Schubel, the former proprietor of the hotel, who filed the suit, had consented to this arrangement.

Mr. P. L. Vandegrook has returned from a business visit to Fulton.

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WANTED—Board by young couple in private family. Address G. W. Sun office.

WANTED—You to see our line of gasoline engines and pumps. Powell-Rogers Co., Incorporated.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms. Good location. Outside entrance. Apply at 614 Clay or phone 100.

BOY WANTED—None under 16. Good apply. References required. S. E. Mitchell, 326 South Third.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage. No. 516 Adams street. Modern conveniences. Apply on premises.

WANTED—At once an experienced dairymaid with references. Ring 165 or call at 318 South Sixth.

GOOD PASTURES, 200 acres running water. Apply to Lendler & Lydon or phone 615 or 1261.

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FOR SALE—Several houses in Harahan addition. See James Wellie or Jake Blederman.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Bath and electric lights. Two blocks from Broadway, 408 Washington.

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FOR RENT—Seven room frame house at 1616 Broadway. Modern conveniences. Old phone 13.

WANTED—White woman to do general housework in family of five. Apply 1126 Trimble.

WANTED—White woman for general housework in family of three. Apply old phone 1484.

GROCERY business for sale or exchange for city property. Address T. care Sun.

COTTAGE for rent, \$10 per month. Three blocks from P. O. Apply at 441 South Sixth.

IF YOU WANT Oak Stove or Heating Wood any time during the year, and cut the length you want, call 203. Johnston Fuel Co.

BUY YOUR COAL from C. M. Cagle, Cartersville best lump, 12 cents; Pittsburg lump 14 cents delivered. New phone 973.

IF YOU have James Duffey to do your cleaning and pressing your clothes will always look like new. Old phone 338-4.

IF YOU WANT Kentucky or Pittsburg coal that will please you, at reduced prices, call 203. Johnston Fuel Co.

HAIR GOODS made of cut hair and combings. Shampooing and dyeing. Lillian Robinson, 712 South Sixth, old phone 2114.

NIGHT SCHOOL, one month free, unconditionally at Draughon's Practical Business College (Incorporated) 314 1/2 Broadway. Bring this notice.

IF YOU have yourself call and see Porter's "Tuff Steel" Razor. They are what you want. Kolb Bros. Drug Co., Incorporated.

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NICE Jersey cow for sale. 918 Broadway.

SUITS spunged and pressed, 50 cents. M. Solomon, 523 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Davenport and Oliver typewriter. 1720 Madison street.

WANTED—Situation by experienced stenographer. Address N., care Sun.

FOR RENT—8-room frame house, 1627 Broadway. Modern conveniences. Old phone 13.

FOR RENT—Three room cottage, 1010 S. Fifth street. App'l H. Mann men, Jr., Third and Kentucky Ave.

FURNITURE Exchange. Furniture packed for shipping; repaired, bought and sold, 205 South Third street. New phone 901-a.

WANTED—Salesman for saddlery, harness and hardware, commission basis. Address with references Floyd & Bohr Co., 750 W. Main St., Louisville, Ky.

WANTED—Your name and address. If interested in gasoline engines, pumps, corn shellers, grinders and saw-rigs. The best on earth. S. E. Mitchell, Paducah.

LOST—On South Fourth street between Mechanicsburg and Broadway, gentleman's dress coat, size 42. Carmel check. Return to West Kentucky Coal company's office and receive reward.

FOR SALE very cheap, home reference library, embodying an encyclopedia of universal knowledge and an unabridged dictionary of the English language in ten volumes, by John Clark Ridpath, L. L. D. Old phone 1579-r.

WANTED FOR U. S. ARMY—Able-bodied unmarried men between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, New Richmond House, Paducah, Ky.

WANT MALE HELP—Young men wanted who desire to earn better salaries and do more congenial work. If able to read and write, and ambitious to succeed, we can qualify you for a position as mechanical, electrical, steam, civil or mining engineer, architect, bookkeeper, etc., 208 courses to choose from. 17 years of success. One million students. Six (6) million dollars capital and 3,000 employees. Write at once, stating position wanted. International Correspondence Schools, Scranton, Pa.

Recruit for Army. Capt. William Reed, U. S. A., of Evansville, arrived in the city this morning from Cairo and accepted one man, Fred C. Hopper, of Caledonia, for the U. S. Infantry, from Sergt. C. A. Baker, in charge of the local recruiting station. Sergt. Wake is holding five men on probation. Captain Reed will leave for Jefferson barracks at St. Louis tomorrow morning.

Dissolution Notice. The firm of Smith & Butze is hereby dissolved. Mr. Butze retiring from the business.

For Rent. Old Husband Homestead on Jefferson street. See G. H. Husbands or phone 1027.

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"A Bryan campaign without quackery would be welcome, but it would be inconceivable. The quack feature of the Nebraska canvass this year is to be his anti-panic specific of a government guarantee of deposits. Two years ago it looked as though it would be government ownership, but it was sure to be government something or other. All the ideas which Bryan has championed resolve themselves into the one idea which is the core of socialism, that only by government shall mankind be saved from itself. Guaranteeing bank deposits is only the open form which is taken for the present occasion. The real danger lurks in the background of insincerity.

"One of the amazing facts about Bryan's candidacy is that it is based on grounds which Bryan himself disputes. The Denver platform has in railroad plank which promises new excesses of regulation. Bryan does not believe in railroad regulation; he believes in government ownership of railroads. He has said, many times, that railroad regulation is bound to fail and that nothing but government ownership can solve the so-called railroad problem. The Denver platform

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PROHIBITIONIST DISTRICT TICKET

Letter Announcing Congressional Nomination.

The Rev. J. Henry Ballance is Nominated of His Choice By Letters

HIS LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE.

H. W. Davis, chairman of the Kentucky Prohibition executive committee, has formerly notified the Rev. J. Henry Ballance of his choice for Prohibition candidate in the First district in the following letter:

"As the Kentucky member of the national congressional nominating committee of the Prohibition party, I am pleased to officially inform you of your selection as our candidate for congress from the First district.

"You are to lead no forlorn hope, but it is your exalted privilege to offer for the voters of your district an opportunity to express their disapproval of the tyrannical one-man rule in congress, which has deprived our people of the Democratic principle of control in their internal affairs, in harmony with their express and desires through overwhelming majorities.

"You are to give an opportunity to the clean, honest, citizenship of your district, to elect a representative in congress who will represent them; whose platform of principles is clear, concise, made to be understood and to be carried into effect.

"The great moral upheaval of the past year, following an awakened public conscience and the exposure of pretended temperance professions on the part of some who wished to ride into office on the popular wave of reform, while holding on to the brewery patronage, has an opportunity through your candidacy of stamping its disapproval on such tactics.

"Go before your people and lead them to the heights of true American citizenship that seeks to elevate, to protect, to stimulate, to enable. Show them that the principles you advocate will, by your election be advanced, rendering our country. Indeed, the land of the free, and the home of the brave, and not of the drunkard, the bum and the knave."

Mr. Ballance replied in the following words:

"Your official notification of my candidacy for congress in the First district was duly received.

"Allow me to say that I consider it an honor to champion the cause of Prohibition in my district. I sincerely believe that in this campaign, the liquor question is the greatest issue.

"You are certainly correct in saying that I am to lead no 'forlorn hope.' Just so surely as right shall eventually win over the wrong, so surely shall we win the ultimate victory. Yet immediate victory does not concern me so much as duty. I would advocate the cause of Prohibition if I were the only one in my district to speak for it or to vote for it because I believe it is right. Believing it to be for the best interests of our country, I espouse the cause and shall do all I can to evangelize this district with Prohibition Gospel."

"In the event of my election to congress, I shall do all in my power to truly represent my constituents, putting into force the principles of the platform upon which they stand. I shall contend for fairness and consistency on the part of those who help make the laws of our great country. The tactics to which you refer shall be exposed and condemned by me if I stand alone for the right.

"My plan shall be rather constructive than destructive. I shall build up such arguments that my hearers may see how far short my opponents come in grappling with the real issues before our people, their arguments of old license-partyism will fall off their own weight. I shall not condemn or abuse my opponents but meet them on the grounds of fairness and reason. With courage, faith and hearty good will, I enter the race."

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Tommy's Trick.

There was a slight commotion under the sofa. The pretty girl and her fiancé peeped under, and were startled to see Brother Tommy's toes protruding.

"You, Tommy," said his sister, with much emphasis, "what are you doing under there—watching us?"

"Now," grumbled Tommy, "I ain't watching you."

"Then what are you doing?"

"Why, I'm playing that I am mending an automobile—that's what."—Chicago News.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are for weak back, backache, rheumatic pains, inflammation of the bladder and all other annoyances due to weak kidneys. They are sold by all druggists.

The foolish girl sighs to be the first in a man's life; the wise one seeks to be the last.

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For she cannot help it. Women are often cross, irritable, hysterical, and declare they are driven to distraction at the slightest provocation.

Men cannot understand why this should be so. To them it is a mystery because in nine times out of ten this condition is caused by a serious feminine derangement.

A remedy is necessary which acts directly upon the organs afflicted, restoring a healthy normal condition to the feminine system, which will quickly dispel all hysterical, nervous and irritable conditions. Such is

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Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

CHICK'S ANIMALS.

Animals—pigs, favored the same as human beings," said a representative of Hurling Brothers' circus. They form a link for certain people and are equally capable of thinking. Take the elephant for instance. He will become as much as a healthy cream puff when approached by a white smudge, in the south, where the negroes flock to the show in weekly numbers. Mr. "Tactical" puts forth a smile of book-agent origin because he knows that candy and peanuts are his for the asking.

"The hippopotamus, which by the way, is prone to be in his tank of water and exercise like a stumb, will create no small amount of disturbance if approached by an Indian. Just why the liberal minded animal deposes the Red Man we have never been able to learn, but it is a mortal certainty that he entertains a warlike feeling for the gent of copper complexion. So far as this particular dislike goes it's a case of horse and hound with the Indian. So bitter is the enmity between the two we are often compelled to close the hippo's den when playing certain western towns.

The giraffe's disfavor scale overbalances when a Libanus wanders within view. The cause of this is

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the fact that the almond-eyed race persists in smoking cigarettes when inspecting the menagerie creatures. The family of long-necked beauties with Hurling Brothers' circus are not overly good natured at any stage of the game and often prove as funny that they refuse their feed. Such actions cause the chief attendant no small amount of worry, for a giraffe represents from \$15,000 to \$25,000, and is so batty that he would as leave dash out his brains as not. The giraffe is subject to lung troubles and when despondent will strive to take on a cold in hope of cancelling life. There are very few men in the business who can get along with the giraffe. The successful keeper must be a bundle of good-nature, willing to humor the beast and live in the same cage with his charge day and night. When Hurling Brothers' "World's Greatest Shows" come to Paducah, Wednesday, Sept. 24, kindly note the little room at the front end of each giraffe wagon. It is in these little compartments that the keepers must reside. When the show is over and the cages loaded for transporting, you will find each giraffe and his valet journeying to Dreamland in practically the same apartment.

NEW PATROLMEN

ELECTED BY POLICE AND FIRE BOARD LAST NIGHT.

John Bryant and Walter England Walk Deeds and Tifford Edwards Is Fireman.

Three new men were elected by the board of police and fire commissioners in a short session at the city hall. John Bryant and Walter A. England were elected to the police force, while Tifford Edwards is elected to a vacancy in the fire department. The commissioners made their selections from about thirty applicants. In the absence of City Clerk Maurice McIntyre, Auditor Alexander Kirkland was secretary.

John Bryant and Walter England are elected in the places in the police department caused by the dismissal of Patrolmen Bryant and Rousch. Mr. Bryant has been in the fire department several times, and will make a good policeman. He is not the one dropped from the police force England is a carpenter, and a man of splendid physique. Tifford Edwards, who will take the place of Fireman Will Warren, has been a transfer and was recommended to the commissioners.

Charges were preferred against Patrolmen Barber and Merry, by a stranger who alleged that they beat him and allowed others to strike him while under arrest, but the commissioners refused to consider the charge. A police court yesterday morning evidence of the defendant proved that the patrolmen only did their duty.

Dr. Frank Boyd was appointed by the board to draw up a uniform application for positions. A copy of the same will be followed, and all desirable information about the applicants may be secured at a glance.

Extirminating Flies.

There are more than 40,000 species of flies. There are many of these species that are of great value to man and other group of insects. They breed rapidly and are astonishingly prolific. They and their progeny have plagued the inhabitants of the earth for ages.

But there is one place where they might as well give up the fight for existence. The sovereign state of Massachusetts has vowed their destruction. That announcement might not be so significant were it not for the fact that in a number of other places in the world, equally in England, there are like movements against these nuisances and disease carriers.

The Boston dispatches tell of the plans of the state board of health. There is an appropriation of \$100,000 as a reward. Skilled scientists will help. They will devote their entire time to the work of exterminating them. It is proposed to clean the marshes, ponds, bays and lakes where the breeding places are found. The campaign against the pest will be pushed with vigor. The success of the movement is persisted is undoubted.

If Massachusetts makes any headway other states will follow the lead. The surprising result from the energetic campaign against mosquitoes made in some of the Atlantic coast states indicate the possibility of a gift of this sort. People have endured the flies from time immemorial as a necessary nuisance not to be escaped. The new zeal for their extermination is a relief of the fighting spirit of the age, which does not recognize the impossibility of destroying all the old time enemies of mankind.

Flies, mosquitoes and fleas are doomed along with bubonic plague, yellow fever and other diseases they help to spread. It will be a hard fight to exterminate world-wide pests, but the determination to attack them vigorously is an omen of ultimate victory.—Chicago Tribune.

HEAT MAKES CHILDREN ILL

Summer is a very trying period for young children, and many a child who is usually healthy suffers during the heated term. There are many dangers for the child in summer. These lie in milk, food, water, fruit, etc. The greatest peril is from some form of stomach or bowel trouble. It is usually the starting point of graver troubles. The child becomes constipated, or gets indigestion. Perspiration is interfered with. Worms develop, the skin becomes scaly and lumpy, and the poor child is in much misery. Do not let it go, and trust to luck or fate for a cure. Use a remedy like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is intended to cure that very condition and is especially adapted to children's ills because of its mildness and purity. If the child has any of these symptoms, or has not had a passage in 24 hours, it needs Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at once. Give it in the small dose prescribed for children and watch the wonderful effect. It will act promptly but gently, and as it is pleasant to take you will not have to force it. A bottle can be obtained of any druggist at 50 cents or \$1.00, and you should obtain a bottle today so as to have it on hand for an emergency. Many a mother has saved a child in this hot weather by the timely use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Thousands of mothers are getting to know it better and better and keep it constantly in the house as the first family remedy. Representative of the fact that it contains absolutely no narcotics or harmful drugs. If you have never tried it you can obtain a SAMPLE BOTTLE FREE OF CHARGE by addressing the PEPSIN SYRUP CO., Monticello, Ill.

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ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

To Property Owners of Realty and Personality for Assessment for 1909 as of September 15, 1908.

Per Charter Second Class Cities, Page 82, Section 3179, City of Paducah, Kentucky.

That all persons owning or having in their possession or under their control as agent, guardian, committee, executor, administrator, curator, trustee, receiver, commissioner or otherwise, tangible or intangible personal property on the fifteenth day of September following, are required, on or before the first day of October, to give him a true and complete list of the same, with true cash value thereof, as of the fifteenth day of September, under oath, upon forms to be furnished on application by and assessor at his office, and that all merchants in the city, doing business for themselves or others, shall in like manner, in addition thereto, state the highest amount in value of all goods, wares, merchandise, owned or kept on hand for sale by said merchants during the three months next preceding such fifteenth day of September. The assessor and his deputies shall be authorized to administer oaths and affirmations, and may examine on oath any person touching his personal property, and the value thereof, and may examine merchants, on oath as to the statements they are required to make. The assessor shall keep his office open, and be himself or have a deputy in attendance during the hours from eight a. m. to six p. m., or such other additional hours as may by ordinance be fixed, from the fifteenth day of September to and including the first day of October, excepting Sundays and legal holidays. The assessor shall constantly keep on hand, and furnish to persons lawfully requiring the same, all necessary blanks and forms for the lists and statements required by this act. Nothing herein shall, however, prevent the assessor from assessing from the best information he can gather, and where an assessment has been made against a person who has had actual notice to appear and list his property or make statements thereof and fails to do so, the same shall not be decreased, but may be increased by board of equalization. If any person refuse to attend when summoned, or to be sworn to, answer, or to answer any question propounded to him by the assessor or his deputy, the assessor or deputy may, in writing, under oath, state the question, the refusal to answer it, and ask the police judge to issue a warrant against such person; and if the question appear to be a proper one, the said judge shall issue a warrant, and the said person shall, on conviction of having refused to answer the question, it being found by the court to be a proper one, be fined ten dollars, and there compelled by proceeds of contempt to answer the question, and such proper questions as the assessor may propound to him. The assessor shall assess personal property in a separate book, in which he shall separate tangible from intangible property. The word person as used herein shall mean natural and artificial persons, and the duties enjoined on them shall in the case of artificial persons, be performed by the chief officer or agent in the city at the time. Whenever the assessor shall ascertain that there has in any former year or years, been any property omitted which should have been taxed, he shall assess the same against the person who should have been assessed with it, if living, if not, against his representatives. (See sec. 2984a, which provides for assessment of franchises.)

All persons owning property of any kind, real or personal, in the City of Paducah, are required to come to the Assessor's office at the City Hall and sign their property lists for assessments, which are now ready for 1909.

Approved:
JAS. P. SMITH, Mayor, J. W. ORR, City Assessor.

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AT NAPLES

The Funny Things One Sees

in
Smiling Round the World

By
MARSHALL P. WILDER

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We spent five days at Naples, and filled every hour of it with sight-seeing. Of course we stopped at Her- culaneum; but what can I add to the tributes that have been paid to that wonder of wonders? From its three strata of towns have been exhumed the rarest and choicest treasures that adorn the Naples museum.

We walked upon the crust of the seething volcano of Solfatara, now half extinct—in fact, it has laid torpid for seven centuries and is now spread with lush vegetation in the springtime, and the walk to it, at that season, is through an inclosure like a lovely park of winding alleys and flowered paths. But in January we saw only the bare crust of the crater, from whose cliffs came puffs of white smoke, warnings that, at any moment, its hidden fire might break forth. We did not, as at Hawaii, drop our visiting cards into the cliffs, only to see them burst into flame and consume in a few seconds, for we were not so curious about subterranean matters as when we were fresh and green in globe-trotting experiences; but we ventured out in obedience to our guide—in whom a long familiarity with eruptions had doubtless bred contempt—to a few feet of the center. He stamps upon it and says it is hollow. It certainly appears so. He jumps upon it, and the surface quivers. You begin to feel creepy up and down your spinal column, but, led on by his urgent appeals and assertions of "No fear! not be afraid!" you follow him on tip-toe to the very middle of the rocking thing, hoping with all your soul that it will hold together until you are safely off it, when you come to a hole out of which curls a little vapor and a curious murmuring sound as of some giant mumbling in his sleep. And that is the moment in which you wish you hadn't come. But you are lured to lean over and peer down into the hole, and are fascinated by the stirring and moving of boiling mud—horrid gray mud that reminds you instantly of Kipling's "great, gray, greasy Limpopo river," only this is a lake, but gray and greasy enough in all conscience, and seething and boiling in the vortex-hole, and rising and falling with the escaping gas that bubbles and bursts and then collects and bursts again.

The lovely Bay of Baiae, that was once lined with the palace-villas of the wealthy Romans, much as Newport's shore is today, held our interest for a couple of hours. We explored the ruins of a castle built by a Spanish viceroy which stands on the site of Nero's villa; we compared it for beauty to the lonely temple of Serapis we had just left behind us near Pozzuoli, long buried beneath the sea, to be at last cast up by some mighty upheaval of unseen internal force. The beautiful, curved shore, "so beautiful yet so deadly," from the wilderness of craters which abound there, fascinated us completely. We lunched at a little inn at Baiae, where we had some of the famed wine of Sappho and were amused by the importunities of the peasant beggars, who very successfully wheeled us out of our spare copers by their whines and wiles galore. In Egypt it was "hachkeeh!" in our ears from morning till night; throughout Europe cries of "pour-boire" and "trinkgeld" haunted one's footsteps, but ancient little Naples had a word all her own. It was "Spaghett!" Simply that, and nothing more. No last syllable, with crisp accent; but the shortened, cut "Spaghett!" was hurled at us from every corner and followed, with deafening echoes, our vanishing carriage wheels. "Spaghett! Spaghett!"

Beside the Lucrine Lake we stood and conjured up the spot where the villa of Agrippina, mother of Nero, probably stood; but the thought of her cruel murder at the hands of her monster of a son did not mingle pleasantly with the peaceful lapping of the waves against the reeds, so we turned away and asked to be taken to the frothy deluge of animal hopes and fears which year by year has drawn thousands of visitors to its rocky side. As if in keeping with its treacherous fame the guide who shows you the place is a full-fledged brigand, who, "when work is slow," ekes out a subsistence by playing at guide. Ten to one he has a little dog at his heels, and thereby hangs a tale. While you listen to the guide the puppy looks at you with blinking eyes and a grin of confidence, the while his busy tail seems to say, "I know you'll never put me in that poisonous hole, will you?" And you can't keep your eyes off his silly little face, until you find yourself wondering if he's like your little dog at home, your far-away "Buster," whose friendly face and welcome bark you have missed more than you would care to say. Certainly this little pup bears no outward resemblance to your far-away Buster; but inwardly—how about that? There lies a story. Shall you tell it to the guide? No, he's a brigand and might demand a ransom for permitting you to live; for no doubt he'd rather kill you outright than have you live to tell another story. Hurrah! now you've got it—happy thought! You'll try it on the dog. Fixing him with your eye you begin:

"The feast bolstered my dog so, I

concluded I'd teach 'em a lesson I learned long ago, but never put in practice. I sent and got a piece of liver and put it near the dog. The fleas all hopped onto it and stuck. Just as I was getting ready to throw it in the fire I turned my back a moment and the dog ate the liver, fleas and all. Now, he's fleas lined."

But about the Dog Grotto. Well, it's filled with carbonic acid gas, and for generations guides have made money out of tourists by shoving some poor little canine into the cave and keeping him there until his legs began to totter and his head to whirl, when they would haul him out and arouse him in the nearby lake until he revived; and revive he must, for was there not another tourist's carriage coming down the hill? But sometimes dogs did not revive. Well, he was only a dog, and there had been instances where men had perished in the foul-smelling cave. But that was ages ago. There was a French king who brought a donkey to the grotto and tried the effect of the gas on him. The animal died. But why the king tried it on a donkey I don't know, unless that a fellow-feeling makes us—but, no—I won't. Then there was an early Spanish viceroy who wanted to decide whether the gas was in prime condition or not, so he put two of his slaves in the cave and they were brought out dead. Spoke well for the gas, at any rate.

Nowadays the question as to the virtue of the gas is more humanely settled. The guide takes a burning torch and plunges it into the cave. Instantly it goes out. But if the act is repeated several times the gas, impregnated with smoke, assumes the appearance of a silver sea, flowing in rippling waves against the black wall of the cavern. A good story is told of the guides of that region. As a matter of fact they are wholly unreliable, with their high-sounding names of this broken wall or that defaced inscription.

It is said that they keep a little dog which they offer up as a sacrifice on the altar of the tourist's curiosity. "Shall I throw him in?" they will ask the visitor; and if he be of a humane disposition he will quickly reply, "Certainly not! What do you think I am?"

And the guide will say—making a shrewd guess—"I think you are American. English, he say, 'Yass, bah Jove, 'trow little beggar cen!'" (but once there come along an American, whom the guide took to be English, and when he asked, "Shall I throw little beggar cen?" the American replied:

"If you do, I'll throw your d-d carcass in after him!"
The thing to do while at Naples is to go to the pink coral grotto, so to speak, the pink coral grotto we went. It lies between the Bay of Pozzuoli and that special little bay where Piny kept his navy. We went out in a boat with four rowers, the chief of whom gave us large bunches of taffy about our country—"beeyuteeful America," "fine New York," etc.—he had traveled, oh, yes! he had been to Jibister (Gibraltar) and to America—"beeyuteeful country!" etc., until it came time to return, when the fellow demanded that we pay them a franc each then and there, instead of the equivalent of ten cents each on the return to the shore. Upon refusal he worked himself up into a hysterical sort of paroxysm, and shrieked: "Not my shore! In de boat! In de boat! But my American nerve rose to the occasion and I flatly refused, notwithstanding that the situation began to get strained, to put it mildly. Sulkily he gave in, and gave the command to return to land, and slowly we were propelled—so slowly, indeed, that I had serious misgivings that we were to spend the night upon the darkening sea, while the muttered abuse of our country—"Vile country—people vilains—dirty New York—America all thieves!"—made me long to knock the rascal overboard and have done with him. However, as we approached the shore they became more civil and, as we alighted—glad to be back with a whole skin—they bowed and scraped, cap in hand, begging for a settlement at once! But no, the game was now in my hand, and marching up to the hotel I demanded of the manager how it was that he sent his guests out with a parcel of rascals and extortionists, terrifying hapless foreigners and indulging in foul abuse of their country, etc., etc. He rolled his eyes to heaven and protested that he knew nothing of such methods; they were honest fellows, and hard-working, and, by the Madonna and all the saints! he had no knowledge of such iniquities! It was incredible, impossible! etc., etc.

"Here!" said I, "there is your money, according to the agreement I made with you. I will pay no extra extortion, nor be terrified into doing so. And, furthermore, for the protection of my countrymen, I will publish far and wide, I will print in every newspaper of America the name of your hotel and the rascally doings of your employees."

I got no further, for the fellow, with a howl of anguish, fell upon his knees and with clasped hands implored me not to "put it in de paper—not to ruin hem!"—hees famlee, dey atarve! Do not put in de paper!"
Suppressing the laughter which his ridiculous terror evoked I consented to relent and peace was restored. When we entered our carriage the rowers were waiting cap in hand, quite civil and ingratiating; but I ignored them completely, and we drove off, followed by a storm of curses and maledictions hurled at the American whom they found they couldn't bluff.

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These are the days when the city folks fly back to the unlovely town, deserting the country in the time of its greatest glory. September for some unreasonable reason marks the ending of the vacation time and the vacationists turn homeward to endure weeks of humid heat, more unpleasant in many ways than the July and August days, which they fled to the country to escape.

And yet nature is in its most delightful mood in September. The torrid heat of midsummer has given way to cool days and invigorating nights. The waving green is gone from the fields—save where the rustling corn stands, sentinel-like, awaiting the coming of the frost—and they are carpeted in gold and brown. In the woods, here and there, are seen flashes of the autumnal flame, which with October, will set all the trees aglow. The shortening days make up in beauty what they lack in length, with their flushed skies at dusk.

By contrast the city is a dreary place. The air is dead, the smoke trails low across the sky and the trees are half naked ragamuffins, their tattered garments of withered leaves fluttering forlornly. What is the reason? Is it hay fever or the opening of schools, or, perhaps necessary, are our summer clothes all worn out, forcing us to rush homeward there to unpack the habiliments of fall?—Chicago Evening Post.

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An increase of 201 is noted over last year in the public schools, making a total of 2,964 that entered yesterday. More pupils entered today and the figures will pass the 3,000 mark. In the high school there were 164 students, which is an increase. The pupils are distributed as follows: Washington building, 980; Lee, 241; Whittier, 208; McKinley, 185; Franklin, 239; Longfellow, 194; Jefferson, 270; Garfield, 360; Lincoln, 372.

Athletics.
The first step towards athletics was taken yesterday afternoon when a meeting was called on the first day of school. The high school boys met with Prof. W. A. Evans, of the science department, and talked over football. Edw. Mitchell was elected president of the athletic association. George Scott was elected manager of the team. This afternoon the football players were met for the first time, and under the direction of Professor Evans, the coach, held practice was indulged in. The girls also held a meeting and decided to begin work on basketball. There probably will be as many as five teams organized. Miss Adah L. Brazleton will have charge of the athletics of the girls. Miss Margaret Carnegie was elected president of the Girls' Athletic association, while Miss Katherine Rock will be secretary and treasurer. Miss Kathleen Garrow was elected manager of the basketball team.

Miss Susan Smith, teacher of modern languages, is in Brooklyn, but will be in Paducah in about a week. Miss Smith has returned from Europe but was taken ill and is unable to make the trip. Superintendent Carnegie received a letter yesterday afternoon.

Hearst and Hagen Not Coming.
On account of other engagements Hearst and Hagen, leaders of the Independence League parties, will not be able to accept the invitation of local leaders to speak in Paducah September 17. A letter was received by Mr. Joseph Desberger, national committeeman of Kentucky, yesterday that all speaking dates up until October 31 have been filled.

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Important Fall Games on Gridiron Field.

New York, Sept. 15.—A scrutiny of the playing dates of the more important football teams of the east, west and south shows that Saturdays of October and November fairly bristle with games that will keep the interest of football fans on edge from week to week until the season closes in Philadelphia, November 28, with teams of the United States Naval and Military academies, flinging down the curtain for another twelve months.

Although the first contests of the fall are to be played on September 19, there will be little of moment in gridiron circles until the month of October. It will not be until the closing Saturday of September arrives that the majority of the big teams swing into line and play their first games. Even these are little more than practice affairs arranged by the managers in order that the coaches may be able to detect and rectify in actual play faults that would spell the undoing of the teams a month after. No better evidence of the calibre of these contests need be cited than the fact that the big teams play two games a week in many cases, Wednesday and Saturday being the most popular days for the practice struggles with the smaller college combinations.

The second stage of the season may be said to open this fall October 3, when Princeton University plays the Springfield Training school at Princeton and the team of Syracuse University travels to New Haven to test the early autumn metal of the Bulldogs. A week later the games grow a trifle more important, and from the long list of contests scheduled the Princeton-Lafayette, Syracuse-Carlisle Indian, Williams-Harvard, Yale-Holy Cross and the Pennsylvania State vs. University of Pennsylvania games stand out as features.

The middle of the month brings still other struggles which will interest followers of the sport in all parts of the country. October 17 the Yale eleven will go to West Point to meet in annual gridiron battle the army football players. On the same day Cornell and Colgate will meet at Ithaca, the Virginia Polytechnic Institute team invades the field of the Tiger at Princeton; Pennsylvania and Brown are scheduled for Franklin Field, and in the middle west the representatives of the University of Chicago and Illinois will mingle on Marshall Field. These are the top-liners of the day, but some idea of the popularity of the game may be gathered from the fact that on the same afternoon there are no less than 194 other contests between college university teams, and were the games between high schools and academies counted, the total number of matches in all parts of the country would pass the 300 mark.

Football Feast.
The last two Saturdays of October begin to give a taste of the football feast to come. October 21 Colgate will play at West Point, Lafayette visits Brown at Providence, Dartmouth will be the guest of Holy Cross at Worcester, Syracuse, after playing Princeton, will be able to make comparisons between the strength of the Elis and the Tiger, while the Quakers will attempt to down their old and formidable rivals, the Carlisle Indians, on Franklin later it will be Princeton's turn to tackle the Army on the Soldiers' Plateau overlooking the Hudson. The same day Brown will invade Cambridge in an attempt to overthrow the Harvardites. Dartmouth and Amherst will meet at Andover, Cornell and Pennsylvania State at Ithaca, Syracuse and Williams at Syracuse, Chicago and Minnesota at Chicago, Michigan and Vanderbilt at

Ann Arbor, Pennsylvania and Swarthmore at Philadelphia, with 109 other games of minor calibre being fought out all over the country.

With the dawn of November the real championship contests approach. November 7 sees the final tryouts, in some cases, previous to the big games of the season. Yale will face Brown at New Haven, as is the custom a week previous to the Princeton contest. The Tigers, with Dartmouth as the opposing team, will demonstrate to the coaches their fitness to meet the Blue eleven weeks later. Harvard will try to retain its sculp with one hand and defeat the Carlisle red men with the other, and among the 'long list of games for the day the Syracuse-Colgate, Wisconsin-Minnesota, Pennsylvania, Lafayette, Iowa-Illinois, Pennsylvania State-Illinois games stand out prominently.

Height of Season.

The following Saturday, November 14, marks the height of the football season. On that day Yale and Princeton play their annual games at Princeton, Dartmouth and Harvard meet in the imposing stadium on Soldiers' Field at Cambridge, and the eleven of Cornell and Pennsylvania will uphold the prestige of Eastern football in the two greatest inter-section struggles of the year, meeting Chicago and Michigan, respectively. Of secondary interest on the same day will be the games between Brown and Vermont, Syracuse and Tufts and Virginia and Georgetown.

The struggle between Harvard and Yale at New Haven November 21 marks the waning of football for another year, both in the East and the west. The games begin to diminish in number even on this date, and few have the importance of those of the preceding week. Among those that stand out prominently, aside from the meeting of the Crimson and the Blue, are the games between Chicago and Wisconsin, Michigan and Syracuse, Williams and Amherst, Washington and Vanderbilt and the Navy and Virginia Poly.

Thanksgiving Day, which some years marks the climax of each gridiron season, has but few games to boast of this autumn. Pennsylvania and Cornell will meet in their annual struggle in Pennsylvania, and the Carlisle Indians will tackle the eleven of St. Louis University. Despite the fact that two days previous the red men will have faced the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis. With a lapse of but twenty-four hours, Franklin Field will again be the scene of a football game, this one the closing contest of the season, when the Army and the Navy teams line up for their yearly football battle before the thousands of spectators that gather annually to witness the stirring struggle between the two academy elevens.

The Struggle for Wealth.

When we compare the industrial energy of an Englishman or an American with that of an Arab, or a modern European with that of an ancient Greek, we can see hardly any limit to the variety of degree in which the love of wealth may stimulate human beings in action. Nor is it even the invariable associate of high intelligence and cultivation. On the contrary, classical and Oriental society abound with examples of high intellectual conditions, as religious society throughout the world abounds with a minimum of production and accumulation. In a word, the intellect and the habit of production are just as variable as human nature. Frederick Harrison.

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FOR MR. TAFT

Will Start at Some Illinois Point and Go West.

Last Night Leaders Were Working on Same at Chicago—Will Be Announced.

HIS ITINERARY INCOMPLETE.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—Ten days of traveling with almost constant speaking, have been arranged for Taft. The trip will be made in a special train starting from some Illinois point, probably Chicago, about September 25. The tour will extend as far north as Minneapolis and Fargo, N. D., as far south as several points in Kansas, and west to Denver. Taft will be back in Chicago in time to speak before the deep waterways convention October 7.

Taft's itinerary engaged the attention of Chairman H. H. Beck, of the Republican national committee, as soon as he arrived here from New York. Political leaders were here to meet the chairman from North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Minnesota, Kansas, Tennessee, Wisconsin and Kentucky and representatives of several other states communicated with headquarters by long distance telephone.

Conferences in relation to the trip continued throughout the day. The announcement was made, however, that the itinerary will be made public. There is to be only one big meeting arranged for Taft in each state to be visited. At other points in the state through which the train runs Taft will show himself on the train platform, talking wherever it is possible for him to do so.

Taft Writes Speeches.

Indianapolis, Sept. 15.—Taft devoted himself principally to political composing. He wrote an answer to Bryan's comment on President Roosevelt's Taft letter, which in itself is regarded as furnishing a considerable addition to the campaign literature of the day, after which he spent the latter part of the day in the preparation of two speeches he is to make tomorrow, the first to a delegation from Greenfield, Ind., and the other to the Methodist negro preachers of Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky.

PURYEAR

IS IN THE FIGHT FOR COMMON WEALTH'S ATTORNEY.

Paducah Will Make Speaking Dates Hereafter—At Gil. Beardsville.

Candidates for circuit judge and commonwealth's attorney are speaking at Gilbertsville today and J. Will Graham, Populist nominee for congress, will also speak. Judge E. H. Puryear, candidate for commonwealth's attorney, who did not attend the speaking appointments of his opponent last week on account of private business, went out this morning and expects to be in the light now with the campaign is over.

FIGHT CARRIED TO THE COURTS.

Chicago High School Fraternity Member Brings Test Case.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—The fight which is being waged by the Chicago High school fraternity members against the school board for the right to retain membership in secret societies was carried into court today.

Edward McDonald, the suspended pupil of Hyde Park High school, filed a petition in mandamus in the circuit court denying the right of the board to expel him for failure to sign a pledge renouncing his fraternity membership.

He was chosen by his fellow students of like opinion to make a test case. McDonald is one of the 52 students mentioned. Some have capitulated, but the majority will wait the result of the court proceedings inaugurated today.

WICKLIFFE CLUB

ORGANIZED WITH LARGE MEMBERSHIP SATURDAY.

Local Enthusiasts Form Taft and Sherman Club at the Ballant Capital.

Wicks, Ky., Sept. 15.—Responding to the call of County Chairman H. T. Tackett, the Republicans of Wicks and vicinity met at the courthouse Saturday night and organized a Taft and Sherman club, enrolling a large membership.

GOLDEN WEDDING SUICIDE.

Aged New York Couple, After Celebration, Inhale Gas.

New York, Sept. 15.—Victor and Lulu T. were an aged couple who only a week ago celebrated their golden wedding. They were found dead from gas taken from their little hop in Westchasing. Gas tubes were found in the mouths of both, and they were draped in each other's arms.

The aged couple had been dead for many hours when found. The manner in which the tubes were fastened in their mouths showed that they each had led the tube for the other. The separate sections of tubing were suspended from a branch of two tree jets. The doors and windows had been fastened and cracks stuffed with pieces of tape and paper.

A week ago Sunday the pair had celebrated their golden wedding. A score of friends and relatives gathered with them for the little hop. Afterwards they had a trip to Coney Island.

The celebration, however, had been so much for the old lady and on Tuesday she fell ill. A doctor said she had an even chance for recovery, but her age was against her. When he old man heard that he declared that he would not live a day after Lulu's death. He closed his shop and nursed his wife day and night.

Surveying River.

Hickman, Ky., Sept. 15.—A United States survey party, in charge of L. L. Griffith, is making a survey of the river from Cairo, Ill., to the mouth of the Mississippi. There are about fifteen men in the party, and it is thought that the survey will be completed in a month or a little longer, and the charts will be corrected accordingly to the report.

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HUNDRED HAD CLOSE CALL.

Rock Island Train Rushes Across Burning Bridge at Top Speed.

Peoria, Sept. 15.—One hundred passengers on a Rock Island train bound for this city, narrowly escaped being dashed through a burning bridge into a gulley fifty feet below between Toulon and Wyoming.

The train was running down a long grade and was going nearly forty miles an hour when on rounding a curve, the bridge was seen to be in flames. Engineer Dalzell, seeing the distance too short to stop, pulled on full speed and made a dash.

Examination of the structure afterwards showed that seventeen cross ties and some stringers had been burned nearly through.



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